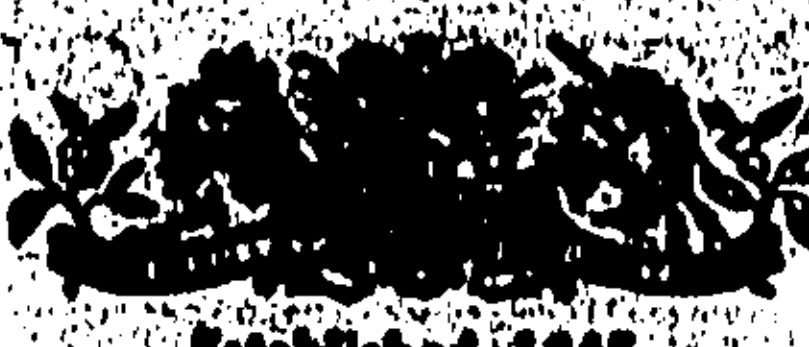


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Eisenhower Plan

THE new American Congress begins its functions confronted with the task of making a decision that can affect the whole course of future events in the Middle East; Congress can either endorse the United States with a new and vital role in that area, or permit continued existence of the dangerous vacuum created by recent events in Egypt. President Eisenhower has a Middle East plan, but he requires for it congressional approval. That it involves to some extent departure from traditional procedure in that it seeks to give the President immediate powers to use force if necessary to preserve the peace in the Middle East may produce some opposition in Congress. Nevertheless, the prospects of Mr. Eisenhower making a successful appeal to accept and endorse his plan can be rated high.

The essential purpose of the latest Eisenhower policy is to preserve the Middle East from Russian political and economic pressures which would lead to Communist domination of the Arab countries. Its necessity has become the more urgent because Britain cannot now physically exert any stabilizing influence in the area, a factor aggravated by (Col. Nasser's) unilateral abrogation of the 1954 Anglo-Egyptian Treaty.

There is no disguising the fact that the Middle East has now become wide open for political exploitation by Russia. She has already gained considerable influence in the area through her arming of Egypt, Syria and the Yemen, and unless some deterring action is taken, she will pursue a course of making herself the dominant power in the Middle East.

THE current danger is not solely confined to armed aggression from without; there exists a very real threat of internal subversion within the Arab states. Syria's government, for example, has now been purged of all moderates and is virtually a dictatorship under Soviet influence. In the Yemen also there are disturbing signs of increasing belligerency directed against the Aden protectorate.

It is in the light of these developments that President Eisenhower's plan needs to be viewed. The task which the President is proposing the United States should undertake is twofold: to deter Communist armed aggression in the Middle East, and to woo those Arab states not associated with the Baghdad pact away from Russian influence. Thus economic aid figures largely in the plan. The doubt which arises is not concerning the wisdom of the new policy, assuming it is approved by Congress, but whether it has been too long delayed. Economic assistance cannot be forced on a country and if, for example, the rulers of Syria and the Yemen determine to pursue their political and economic affiliations with Russia, the Eisenhower plan becomes undermined. The President will probably obtain the congressional approval he seeks; the crucial factor however will be the reactions of the Arab states to the plan.

New Oil For Europe

In tomorrow's feature-packed China Mail, Graham Cawthorne reports on an oil strike in southern Algeria which could free Europe from dollars — and Nasser.

This is only one of the highlights in the big week-end family favourite edition of the Mail. Here are some others:

- ★ Don Iddon's Diary looks into 1957.
- ★ Your breakfast tells what type of man you are.
- ★ A woman who is already busy with Christmas 1956, by Romany Bain.
- There are all your regular favourites as well including tips for tomorrow's race meeting at the Valley, film reviews by Jane Roberts, three pages of local and overseas pictures, cartoons, comic strips, puzzles — all in the Saturday Mail.

HUNGARY MAY GET COALITION

PREMIER TO BE ELECTED

Non-Communists Likely In New Govt

By RONALD FARQUHAR

Budapest, Jan. 3.

Hungary is expected to have a new coalition government next month if present political plans go through smoothly, usually well informed sources said today.

Talks between the ruling Communist Party and other political parties about the composition of a new government are planned to begin in about six weeks.

Before that committees of experts will hammer out a detailed programme for the future of Hungary, ravaged by revolution and threatened with economic chaos.

Afterwards, Parliament will meet in a special session to elect the new government and a new Prime Minister, the sources said. There was speculation in some political quarters that a non-Communist might take the place of the present Soviet-backed puppet, János Kádár.

EXPECTED SOON

Political wheels will start turning as soon as the Kádár government announces its long-awaited and twice postponed policy declaration which, government sources say, will provide the basis for a broader government, including non-Communists.

The declaration, which is believed to be already drafted, is expected to be published next Sunday or Monday, or by January 15, at the latest. It is expected to devote itself largely to the solution of Hungary's present economic and political troubles. Usually well informed sources described it as a "liberal" document.

CAUTIOUS WELCOME

Immediately after its publication, seven committees of experts including people belonging to non-Communist parties, to no party, as well as Communists, will go to work drawing up a programme for individual sectors of the country's economic life, including industry, agriculture and finance. The sources said that already one former member of the Peasants Party and three former

Keightley To Be Retired?

London, Jan. 3. A War Office spokesman said today he had "no knowledge" of a London newspaper report that General Sir Charles Keightley, Allied Commander of the Anglo-French forces at Suez, was being compulsorily retired.

"We have absolutely no knowledge of his retirement although he is the senior General in the British Army and as such may be near the retiring stage," the spokesman said.

The "Daily Express" said General Keightley, 55, who commanded Britain's Middle East land forces before the Suez operation, was being "compulsorily retired" together with two other generals.

They were General Sir Richard Gale, 60, commander of British forces in Western Germany, and 53-year-old Maj. Gen. Tom Brodie, who commanded the British 29th Brigade in Korea.

The War Office spokesman said General Brodie's retirement had already been announced but he could not confirm the other two reports.—United Press.

KREMLIN WORRIED

Which Way—Nehru?

London, Jan. 3.

India's shifting attitude between East and West will top the agenda of the forthcoming emergency meeting in Moscow between the Chinese Premier Mr. Chou En-lai and the Kremlin leaders, informed sources said today.

Soviet Russia has shown growing uneasiness in recent weeks over Indian Premier Jawaharlal Nehru's policy moves last month.

Diplomatic sources said Marshal Georgi Zhukov's scheduled visit to New Delhi later this month has spotlighted Moscow's mounting anxiety over India's apparent Westward shift.

Possible Change

India's criticism of Russia's interference in Hungary was said to have added to Moscow's misgivings and fears of a possible change in Nehru's attitude towards the Eastern bloc.

The scheduled despatch of Zhukov, Russia's Defence Minister, shortly to New Delhi after the return of Nehru from his extensive talks with President Eisenhower is considered a highly significant move on the part of the Kremlin.

Zhukov's prestige is high abroad.

Zhukov may have been chosen also to explain the Red Army's intervention in Hungary on purely military grounds.

His visit will follow the talks in Moscow between Chou En-lai and the Soviet leaders. Soviet diplomats have given the clear indication that the Kremlin suspects "definitive motives" behind America's recent friendliness towards Nehru which could cut across Russia's plans and ambitions in Asia.

Soviet susceptibility has been sharpened by the setback which its diplomacy suffered in the Far East, and Southeast Asia as a result of her brutal aggression in Hungary.—United Press.

Aden Border Situation Worse

Aden, Jan. 2. The situation along the border of Yemen and the British Protectorate of Aden today was reported officially to have grown worse.

Major clashes were reported in four border Shakhidom in western Aden. The report said that Yemen regular forces, assisted by Yemen and Aden tribes, have captured positions in western Aden.

The Najd Madzar post in the Belhan Enklave was reported to have been attacked yesterday and fighting was still continuing. The Aden Government today banned the official Yemen newspaper, "Al Nasr", published in Taiz.

A Cairo report said the Arab League Secretariat announced today that the Yemen had asked that an emergency session of the League be held in Cairo on January 6 to discuss "increasing British aggression on Yemen's southern borders". France-Press and Reuters.

Syria Opposed To Peace

Damascus, Jan. 3. Mr. Sabri El Assali, the Syrian Prime Minister, told Parliament in a policy statement today that Syria will "oppose the conclusion of peace with Israel". Another point he made was that, under a "national charter", the country would "lighten the economic blockade of Israel".—Reuters.

Lost Gamble: Two Children Orphaned

New Delhi, Jan. 3.

Two children from Moradabad, Punjab, became orphans today although both their parents are still alive.

The children's father gambled his wife away to another man without stipulating any agreement about the children.

The new husband declared he had won the wife but not the children, whom he took to a nearby orphanage.

The directors of the orphanage decided to keep the children until the case was settled legally. —France-Press.

Rebels Derail Train: Nine Killed

Oran, Jan. 3.

Nine European passengers were killed and two others were missing after an Algerian rebel band derailed and attacked the Oran-Relizane train last night near Hillil.

The victims included two children and three women, while the two missing were both women.

Three bodies were found immediately after the attack, while 10 others were listed as missing.

Search for the missing ones has not yet begun.

Two of the missing were found unharmed.

Reinforcements arrive

The rebels sabotaged the tracks and opened automatic fire on the train as soon as it was derailed. The train escort fought off the attackers for four hours.

Reinforcements, summoned by rocket signals fired from the train, then arrived and put the rebels to flight.

Aircraft were today looking for the attackers and troops were trying to encircle them. Security forces, operating in the hills east of Algiers, killed seven insurgents in one clash and four in two other skirmishes. They captured 10 insurgents, making a total of 67 in three days—in one operation in the far west of Algeria.

Grenade Attack

Terrorists attacked one of the trolley buses and trams operated by Europeans in Algiers today after their Moslem crews joined a 24-hour strike of Algerian workers.

A grenade thrown into a trolley bus killed a 10-year-old French settler and injured 11 other people, including three women.

Today's strike was in protest against the death of six Moslems last "Saturday" when French settlers rioted during the funeral of a French Mayor assassinated the previous day.—France-Press and Reuters.

Malays Disappointed

London, Jan. 3.

Observers said tonight the Malaysian delegation did not emerge from its key talk on finance with Britain today nearly as cheerful as after its earlier defence talks in which most of its requests were granted.

Sources close to the Malaysian delegation reported this evening that Britain finally made its offer of economic assistance and apparently the amount and conditions disappointed the Malaysians.—France-Press.

VANISHING VICAR FINED £50

Falsifying Passport Charge

Liverpool, Jan. 3.

A vicar unfrocked by the Church of England for allegedly faking his death and committing adultery was described by his daughter in court here today as "an admirable father".

The ex-clergyman, Philip St John Ross, 52, was fined £50 and £20-0s costs on pleading guilty to making false statements in applying for a passport.

The prosecutor, Mr P. M. J. Palmer, said Ross went on holiday to Wales in August, 1955. He disappeared in the sea and for some considerable period was presumed to be drowned.

Recommended Self

The prosecutor said Mr Ross had gone abroad on a passport in the name of Sidney Whalley Davies—one of his parishioners in Woodford, a small town in northwest England.



Mr. Ross An Admirable Father

He had applied for this passport using his own name as a minister of religion to recommend that it be granted to "Mr. Davies". He also carried a photograph of himself was a true likeness of Mr. Davies.

The application was accompanied by a birth certificate of Mr. Davies which the vicar had required.

Mr. Ross, the prosecutor said, ultimately changed the name on the passport to "Davidson" so that he would elude newspaper correspondents who were chasing him in Switzerland. They had discovered that the presumably dead vicar was still alive.

'Admirable'

Mrs Sheila Bradburn, daughter of Mr. Ross, told the court that he was "an admirable father".

Asked if there are differences between her parents, she said: "No more than other parents."

The magistrate told the prosecutor: "I think it was most inadvisable of you to raise that matter."

The Bishop of Chester, who last month presided over the church court which unfrocked Mr. Ross, was among defence witnesses who testified to the good work Ross had done as Vicar of Woodford.

The magistrate told Ross that he could have been fined for up to two years with a fine of £100 for the offence. But he was satisfied, there was no

Mrs Truman Has Fractured Ankle

Independence, Jan. 3.

Mrs Harry Truman, wife of the former President, fractured her left ankle in a fall at her home here yesterday. It was disclosed today.—United Press.

Democrats Retain Control Of Senate

Washington, Jan. 3.

Democrats retained control of the Senate today by a majority of 49-46, when Senator Frank J. Lausche (Democrat, Ohio), whose support had been doubtful, voted with them.

Congress re-assembled today after a five-month recess. Democratic control of the House of Representatives was assured by a majority of 233 to 200.

Congress will, it is expected, appoint Chairman of Committees. This, as for the last two years, the Republican administration led by President Eisenhower is faced with the need to co-operate with a Congress controlled by the opposition Democrats.

Today's Senate vote had been in doubt, as the last November's election gave the Democrats a majority of 49-47, but the voting intentions of one Democrat, and one Republican had been uncertain until Congress reconvened today.

Election Of President

Senator Lausche's decision to stick with his party ended a short-lived renewal of Republican hopes that they might be able to seize control of the Senate from the Democrats.

The test came on the election of a Senate President pro tempore, the official who presides in the absence of the Vice-President, Mr. Richard Nixon.

The Democrats put up Vice-Senator Carl Hayden of Arizona as a replacement for the retired Senator, Walter George of Georgia.

The Republicans then sought to substitute the name of Senator Styles Bridges of New Hampshire.

There was a round of applause from the Democrats against Senator Lausche's vote for Senator Bridges.

Then Senator Matthew Nease of West Virginia, just out of a hospital bed, was brought into the chamber in a wheelchair to cast his vote with fellow Democrats, thus ensuring the Democratic victory.—Reuters.

Ike's Message Tomorrow

Washington, Jan. 3.

President Eisenhower will go before a joint session of both Houses of Congress on Saturday to read his message on the application of the new American "doctrine" in the Middle East, the White House spokesman announced today.

Earlier the House of Representatives adopted a resolution without voting, inviting the President to appear personally before a special joint session of Congress to present his message on the Middle East.

This resolution in all probability will receive Senate approval tomorrow.

Congressional circles indicated that President Eisenhower's Middle East policy would probably receive Congressional approval within two or three weeks.

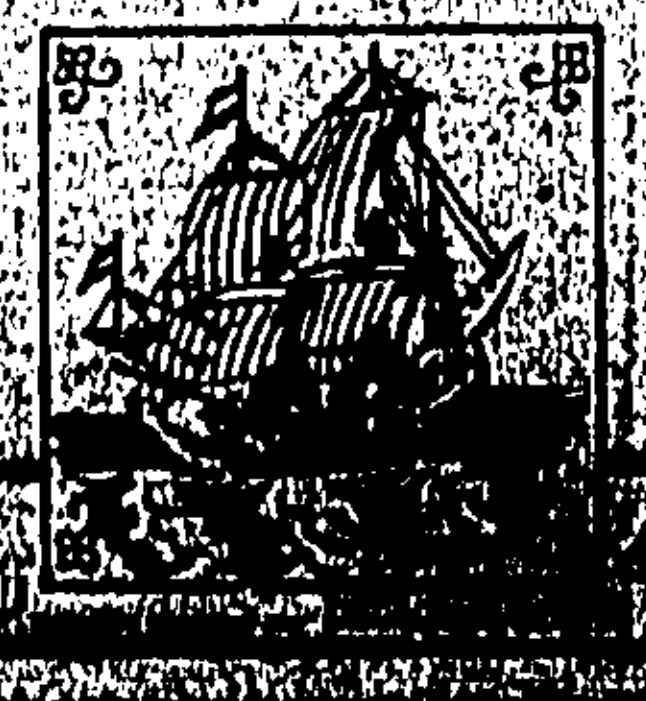
Under the new "doctrine", Mr. Eisenhower would receive discretionary powers to guarantee the independence of the free countries of the Middle East against any armed Communist attack.—France-Press.

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Big \$ Order For British Turboprops

The Hongkong representative of Vickers-Armstrong Ltd announced today that Trans-Canada Airlines had placed an order for 20 turboprop Vanguards.

The value of this order, together with spare parts, amounts to \$27,100,000.

The Vanguards are a much bigger version of Britain's recent selling Viceroy turbine

Trans-Canada Airlines have also taken an option on a further four Vanguards valued with spares at \$11,700,000.

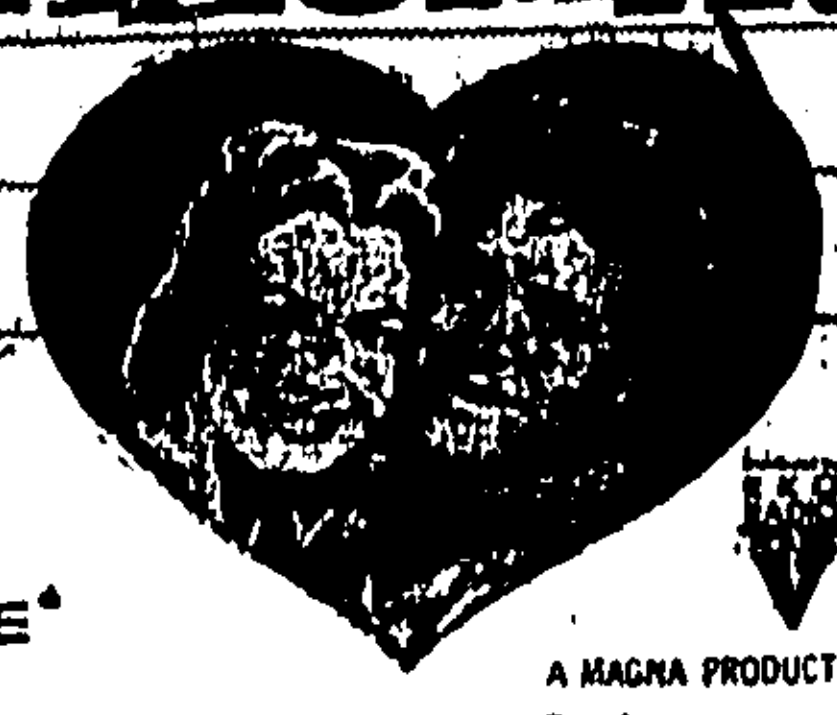
This is the biggest single dollar commercial order placed at one time in Britain since the war.

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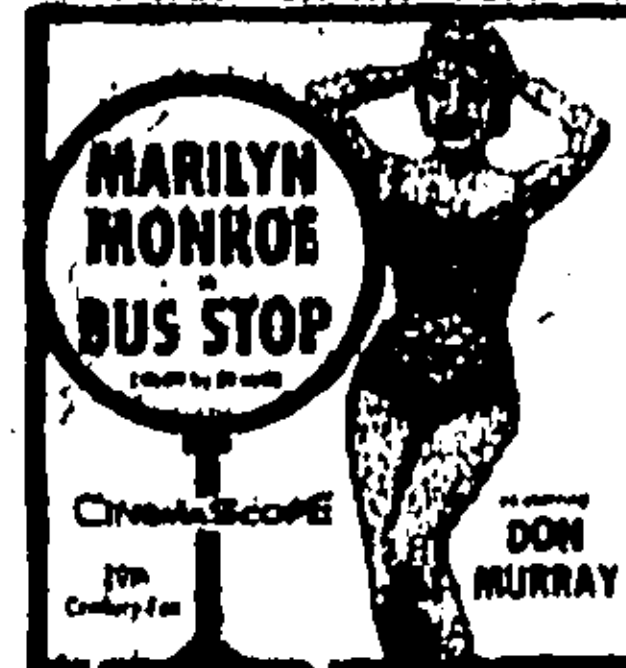


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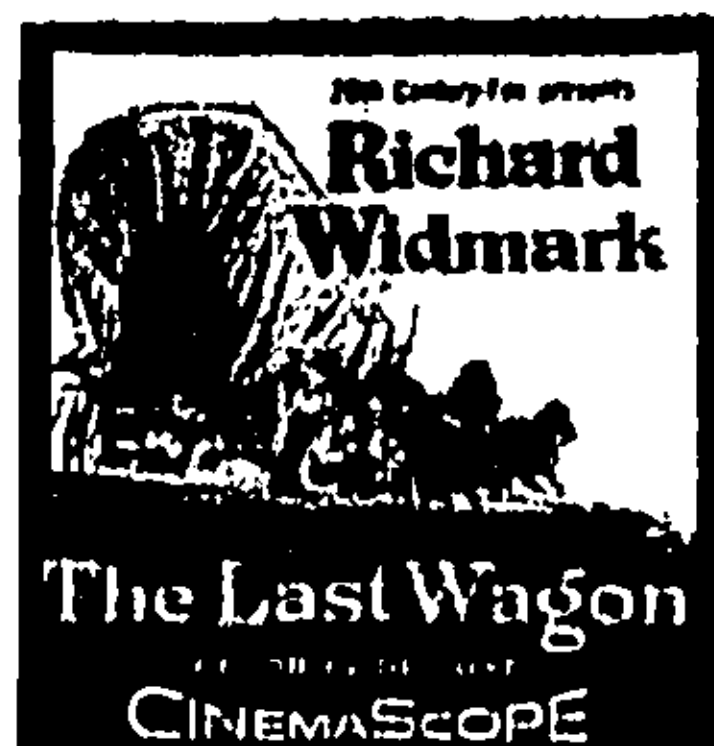
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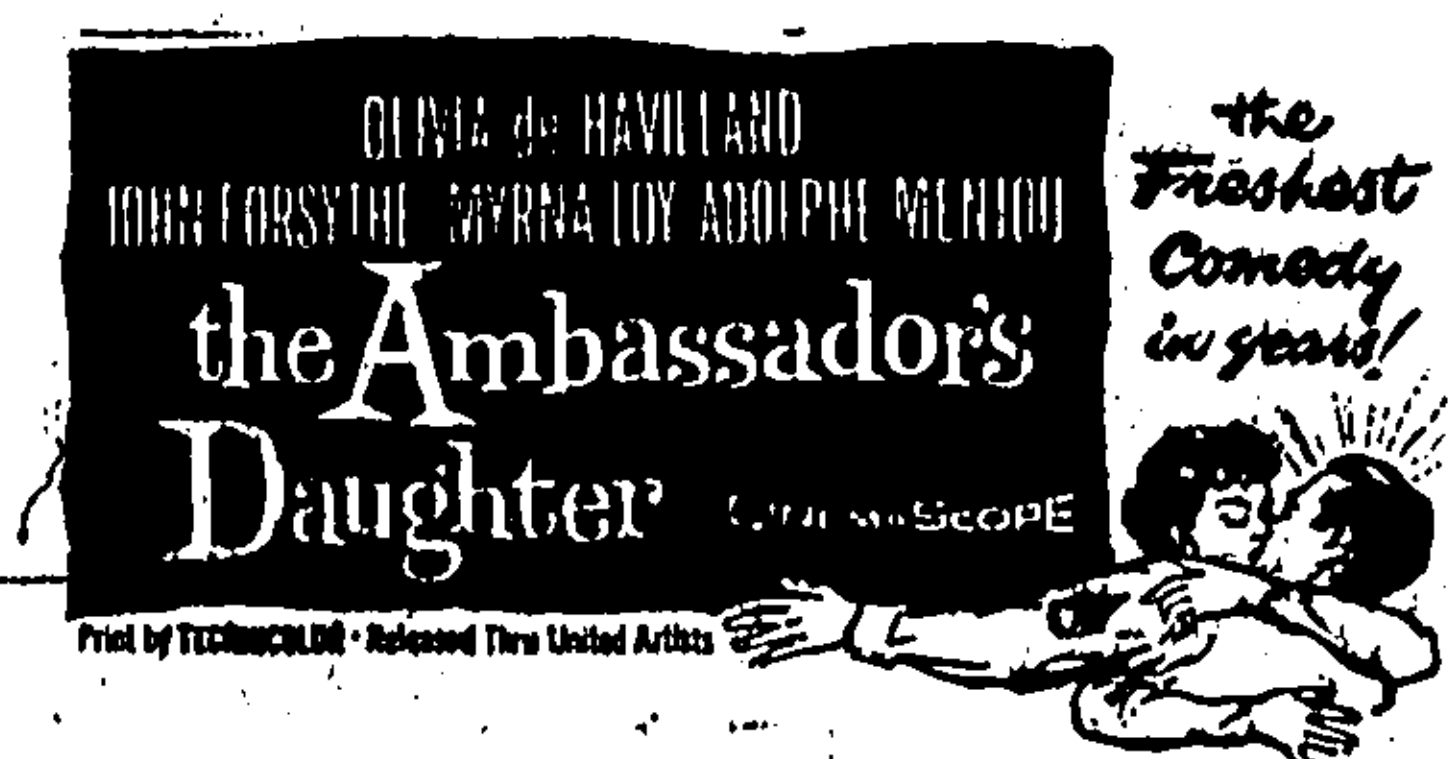
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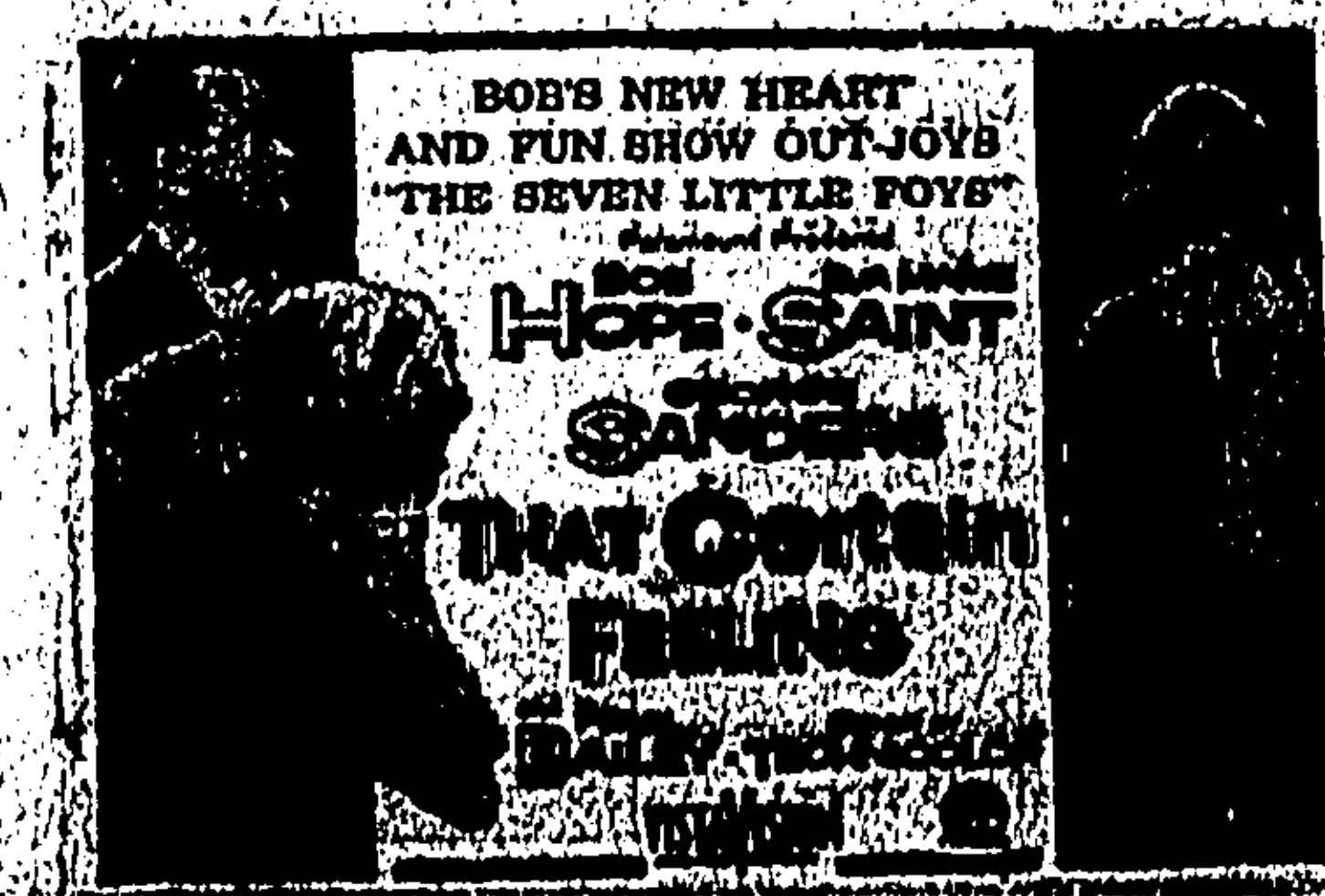
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Kadar Gives
Interview

János Kádár, head of the present Hungarian Government, is pictured giving an interview in Budapest for the East German Community Radio Service. The broadcast was linked with a press conference in which Mr Kádár gave his version of the situation as it now stands in his Soviet-occupied country.—Express Photo.

ANDREA DORIA DISASTER

Experts Criticise
Both Vessels

Washington, Jan. 3.

A group of maritime experts told Congress today that the Italian liner Andrea Doria, which sank in a collision with the Swedish ship Stockholm, met international safety requirements "by a very narrow margin."

In a report to the House Merchant Marine Committee, the group added that the Italian luxury liner "would have survived" if she had been in compliance with even stricter US safety standards.

The four experts were appointed by the House Committee to make a study of the collision off Nantucket which claimed 80 lives last July.

The report also said the collision would not have happened if the ships had followed recommended sea lanes. It said the Stockholm was "nearly on the westbound track and some 20 miles north of the recommended track for vessels eastbound to Europe."

The experts who made the study were: Vice Adm. E. L. Cochrane (ret); H. L. Seward, professor emeritus of Mechanical and Marine Engineering at Yale University; Rear Adm. H. C. Shephard and Commodore E. M. Webster, both of the Coast Guard and retired.—United Press.

No Conclusions

They did not draw any conclusions as to which ship was to blame for the collision.

But the experts said that while the Andrea Doria apparently was built within the requirements of the 1948 International Safety Convention, her stability at the time of the accident "was substantially less than that envisaged by her designers."

The report said the ship could meet the stability requirements "provided she was kept ballasted with substantial and specified quantities of liquids in her various tanks."

The group said it could account for the "behaviour" of the ship immediately following the collision only "on the assumption that she was not in fact ballasted in accordance with this information at that time."

Serious Questions

The report said that US standards for both safety and stability of passenger vessels "are substantially higher than the current international standards."

It said evidence in the collision was enough "to raise serious questions" as to whether both ships were being "operated in accordance with the precepts of good seamanship and the provisions of the international convention for safety of life at sea."

It also questioned whether present construction standards are adequate.

Russian Ships
In Panama

Panama City, Jan. 3. Two Russian ships which through the Panama Canal today in the advance guard of an unprecedented "flow" of vessels expected through the waterway, the month before the opening of the Suez Canal.

From 1949 until today only Soviet vessels had used the Panama Canal. However today and the rest of January, there will be a "rush" of Russian ships.

HATED STALINIST PURGED
IN HUNGARY
Man Who Called
In Russian Tanks

Vienna, Jan. 3.

The hated Stalinist who called in Russian tanks to crush the Hungarian uprising has been purged from Hungary's Presidential Council, Budapest radio indicated tonight.

The man is Bruto Ottó, former Secretary-General of the Hungarian Communist Party and right-hand man of ousted Stalinist party boss Matyas Rakosi.

Budapest radio listed Ottó among three top political figures who will "no longer be members" of the Presidential Council, top executive body in the land. Others ousted were Stalinist Erzsébet (Elizabeth) Andics and István Kovács, also a Stalinist and Secretary of the Communist party organisation.

Article Cited

Radio Budapest announced the Presidential Council purge by citing an article published in the new government-controlled afternoon newspaper Esti Hirlap.

The purge was apparently designed as a preliminary step in the expected move to make the leadership of battered Hungary more palatable to the people.

The Presidential Council has as its chairman István Dobi, himself a member of the Smallholders Party. Dobi is technically Hungary's chief executive. He has long been regarded as a fellow-traveller.

In another sign that moves were afoot to revitalise Hungary's political life, Budapest radio announced talks were underway to decide when Parliament should sit again.

In normal times the Hungarian Parliament has only met three or four times a year under the Communist regime. It last met some months before the start of the October 23 uprising.

Talks to decide when Parliament would sit again were going on between the President of Parliament and the Presidential Council, Radio Budapest quoted Esti Hirlap as saying.

Announcement

It said a government announcement about the next meeting of Parliament was to be expected towards the end of this week or by January 15 at latest.

There was no indication as to whether Premier János Kádár's long-promised statement on government political and economic policy could be expected in the meantime.—United Press.

ALGERIAN
SITUATION
DISCUSSED

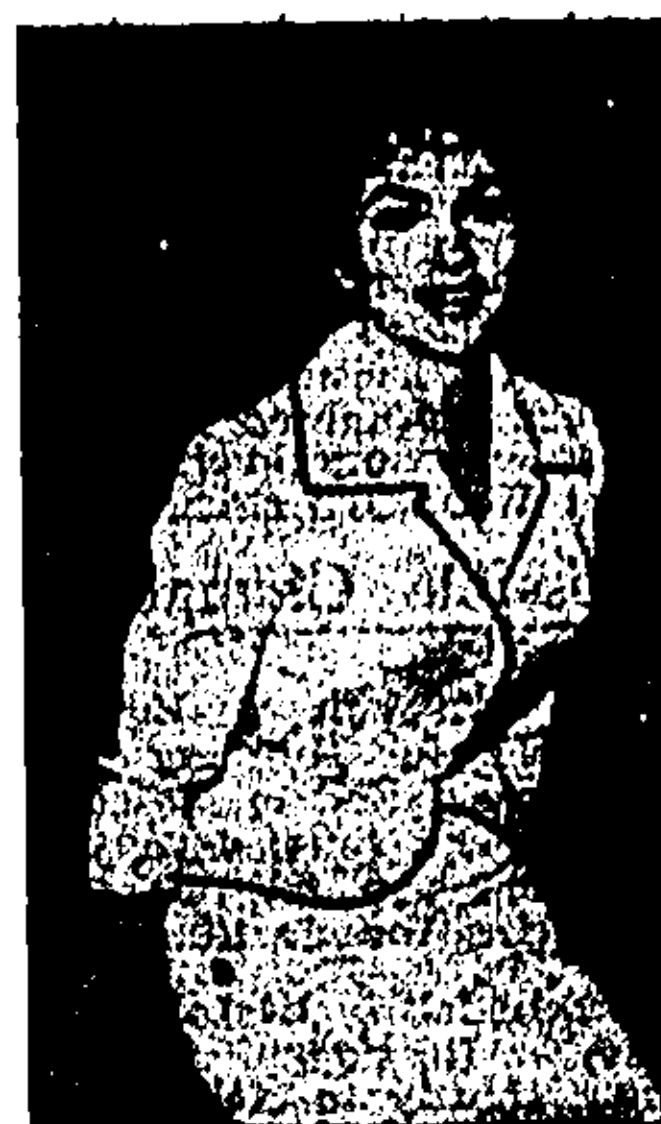
Paris, Jan. 3.

M. Guy Mollet, the French Prime Minister, talks on the Algerian situation tonight with M. Robert Lacoste, the French Minister residing in Algiers.

M. Lacoste arrived in Paris from Algiers by air and drove directly to the Prime Minister's residence to brief him on the latest situation in Algeria. M. Mollet is holding talks with senior Cabinet Ministers as a preliminary to a debate on Algeria in the United Nations General Assembly later this month.

GUERRILLA WAR

There is no confirmation of persistent rumours here that M. Mollet will go to New York himself to present France's case. Moslem nationalists in Algeria have been waging guerrilla warfare against French rule for the past two years. At the same time, leaders of 1,200,000 French settlers strongly resist any concessions being given to the territory's 8,000,000 Algerians at their expense.—Reuter.

Lollo Having
A Baby

Rome, Jan. 3. The screen star, Gina Lollobrigida, announced tonight that she is expecting a baby.

The curvaceous, raven-haired idol of millions of movie goers blushing told a score of reporters at a press conference that she expected to have the baby next July.

"I hope it is a girl," she said.—United Press.

North Korea Not
Invited To
United Nations

United Nations, Jan. 3.

The United Nations political commission today decided, by 51 votes to 10, to invite a representative of the Republic of Korea (South Korea) to take part in the debates on the Korean problem.

There were 12 abstentions in the voting. The commission voted against sending a similar invitation to North Korea.

An Indian amendment to invite North Korea, in conjunction with the American motion to invite South Korea, was defeated by 40 votes to 20, with 11 abstentions.

UK Support

Sir Pierson Dixon, in the name of the United Kingdom, supported the American resolution for the inclusion of a South Korean representative. He opposed the Indian resolution, calling for a North Korean representative, on the grounds that an invitation to North Korea would be "neither appropriate nor useful," as that regime has not shown due respect for the United Nations, and the presence of its representative in the Commission at this stage would not help towards a solution of the Korean problem.

The American representative, Edward Greenfield, opposed the Indian amendment on the grounds that "North Korea has not purged itself of the crime of aggression."

India's representatives, Krishna Menon, and Arthur Lall, and Ceylonese representative, Gunawardene, strongly supported the move to send an invitation to North Korea. They argued that the time has come to revivify the UN position in this matter and bring together the two Korean regimes to seek a constructive settlement of the Korean problem.

The views of the Indian and Ceylonese representatives were supported by Semyon Tsarapkin, Soviet representative, who asked for an end to the "discrimination against the Korean People's Republic" and condemned South Korea for its declared intention to abrogate the armistice.

The Soviet delegate, and members of the Soviet bloc in the United Nations, said that only with the participation of North as well as South Korea could progress be achieved.

Japanese Support

The Japanese delegate, Fujiwara, supported the American motion to invite South Korea and suggested that the question of an invitation to North Korea might be discussed at a later stage.—France-Press.

Re-Establishing
Wartime
Airfield
In Maldives

London, Jan. 4. Britain is to re-establish a wartime airfield on Gan Island, an atoll in the Maldives Islands 400 miles southwest of Ceylon, a Commonwealth Relations Office spokesman said here today.

Gan, about one-third of a square mile long and three-quarters of a mile wide, has a population of 500.

A 1952 Air Ministry survey of the island showed that the construction of an airfield to take the latest aircraft was a practical possibility.

RE-FUELLING POINT
Gan will serve primarily as a re-fuelling point for long-range aircraft such as the Bristol Britannia, but will also be valuable in emergencies.

It is understood there is no intention of developing the island as a base.

Informal quarters however link the setting up with the Ceylon Government's termination of British bases on the island. The Maldives with a population of over 85,000 are a British-protected state.—Reuter.

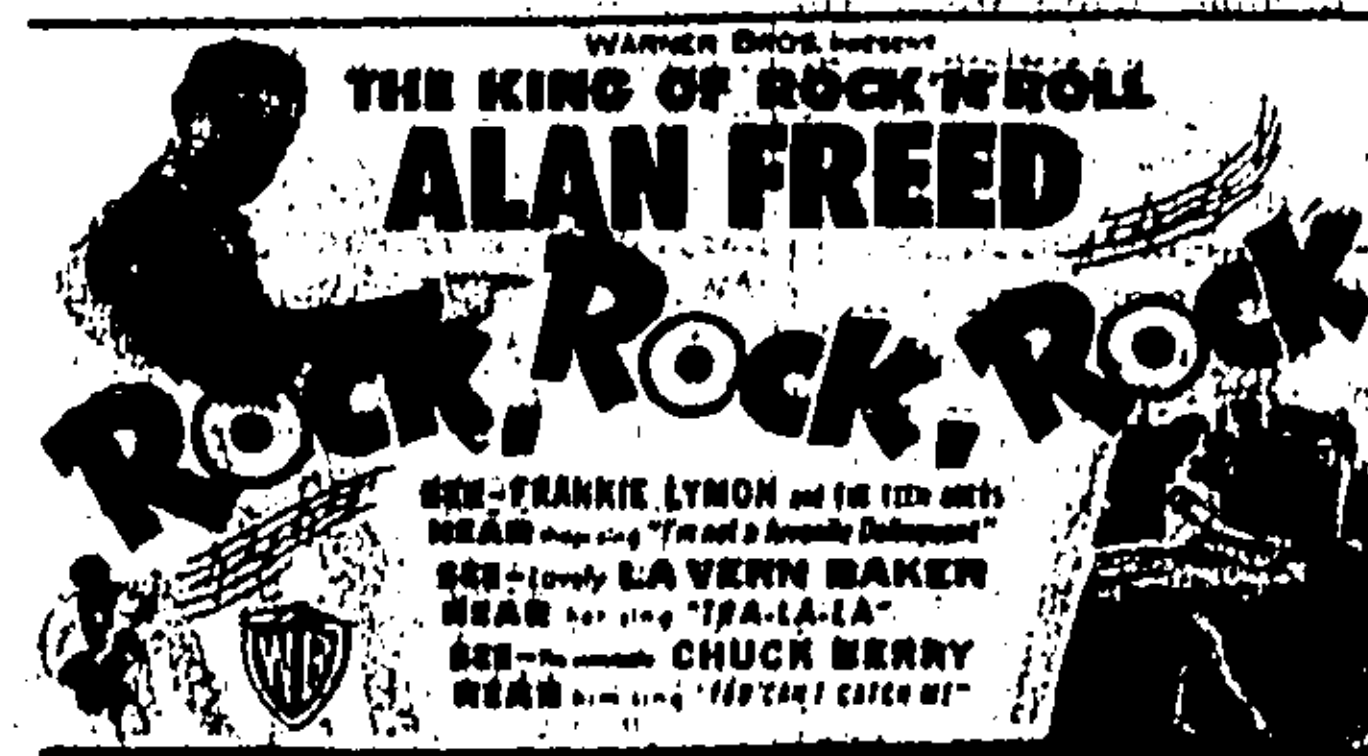
AFRO-ASIAN
CONFERENCE

Batavia, Jan. 3.

Ely Fahmi, Egyptian Ambassador to Thailand, said today that a second Afro-Asian conference would take place around the middle of the year in Syria. The Ambassador made this statement during a Press conference.—France-Press.

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 4

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If you were to enter the field of scientific experimentation, it is possible that you would make a discovery which could greatly influence the race in which you live. You have the inquisitive and investigative nature which enjoys discovering new ways and means of doing things. A new idea may burst in upon you, and no matter what others think, you will find it until you can prove you are right. This only goes to show that

when you become really interested in a plan, you are tireless in executing it. Be warned against being thrust into any routine work for its dullness and monotony would become antithetical to you.

Extremely generous and open-handed, you will probably never be really rich for you spend money almost as fast as you can make it. With you, it is easy come, easy go. For the best happiness in marriage, remember that it should be a partnership rather than a one-sided affair—with you at the helm.

Among those born on this date were General Thomas J. Page, U.S. Army; W.H. Dow, inventor, John W. Hutchinson, manager, Edward P. Dutton, publisher, Max Eastman, author; Carter Glass, statesman, Harry Jones, noted jurist, and Tom Thumb, famous circus dwarf.

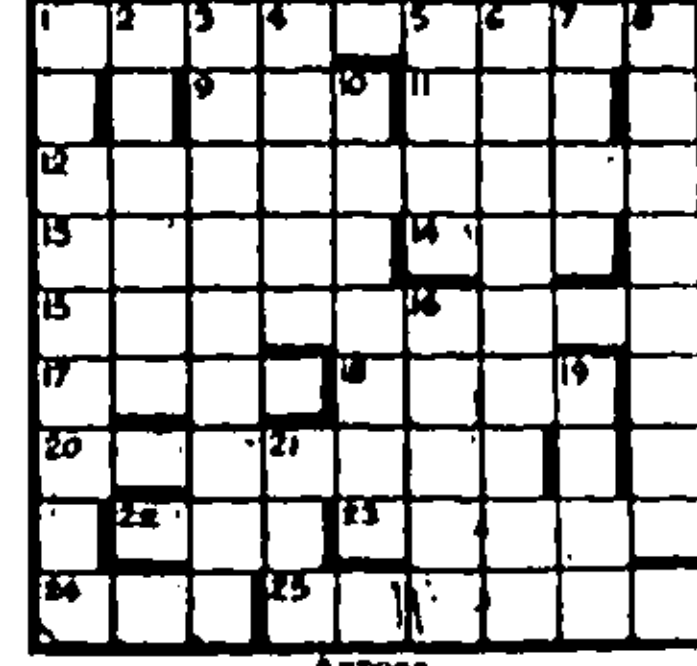
SATURDAY, JANUARY 5

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23-Jan. 20)—You could make that friendly loan you have been postponing lately if convinced that the collateral is adequate now.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21-Feb. 19)—Either active or spectator sports may appeal to you this afternoon as evening as a pleasant way of relaxing tensions.

PISCES (Feb. 20-Mar. 20)—Don't be hasty in making an important decision. Take more time and you will be more sure of your judgment.

Small crossword



1. Hate drugs—I should think they do. It will bring up (9)
9. Put down and hold (3)
11. All you women (4) Across of her (5)

12. River, pear (5)
13. Quotidian bird (5)
14. Tended without Ted (3)
15. Fish cod (4)
16. Doing word (4)
17. Early messenger manager (4)
18. The money is sudden (4)
19. The start of the season (3)
20. Searches (4)
21. They say it is manufactured at Westminster (3)
22. They stand close among the architecture (4)

23. Driven pig otherwise (9)
24. Lost without this word (11)
25. There may be more than one but that is a heavenly affair (9)

26. The chairman's mallet (5)
27. It's a talk which doubled word (4)
28. Part of a sentence banned on these (4, 5)
29. When broken this is worthless (4)
30. Heeded for an inoccasionally (4)

31. Frigate (7)
32. The bird of June to an old Italian (10)
33. Cow in a (4)
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JACOBY ON BRIDGE

Cheap Trick Proves Costly

By OSWALD JACOBY

AN unusual defensive play in a shown in today's hand, contributed by Harry Goldwater, better known as a great tournament director rather than as a player.

West opened the deuce of hearts, and declarer played the ten from dummy. Goldwater played the four of hearts instead of covering dummy's ten with his jack. This seemingly innocent play had a far-reaching effect.

South liked the idea of winning the first trick cheaply, so he let dummy's ten of hearts hold. This was exactly what Goldwater had in mind when he refused to cover the ten of hearts.

When diamonds were led, Goldwater refused the first two

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| 5 | 4 | |

| WEST | | EAST |
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| Q802 | 4 | K95 |
| K802 | 4 | J94 |
| 8 | 4 | A73 |
| 10743 | 4 | J982 |

| SOUTH (D) | |
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| AJ7 | 4 |
| A75 | 4 |
| J45 | 4 |
| AKQ6 | 4 |

| South West North East | |
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| 1 | Pass |
| 2 | Pass |
| 3 | Pass |
| 4 | Pass |

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tricks. He took the third diamond trick and returned a heart.

South could get one further heart trick with his ace, but he couldn't get to dummy for the rest of the diamonds. South therefore wound up with only eight tricks, losing his game contract.

There would be a different story to tell if East covered the ten of hearts with the jack at the first trick. South would win with the ace of hearts and go after the diamonds. Declarer would eventually have to lead one of the small hearts to dummy, and he would surely get to dummy with the queen and thus be able to cash the rest of the long diamonds.

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WOMANSENSE

Salads Are Refreshing After Holiday Feasting

By IDA BAILEY ALLEN

DURING the weekend, be sure to serve plenty of raw vegetable salads. These offer refreshing crispness, fresh flavour and a welcome contrast to the holiday rich foods.

Let each person select his own portion from the salad bowl and enjoy salad as is, with a dusting of seasoned salt, or dressed to taste with salad oil and lemon juice.

Dinner

Spiced Tomato Juice
Roast Beef
Pan-Fried Potatoes
Brussels Sprouts
Salad Bowl of
Raw Vegetables
Seedless Grape Gel
Coffee Tea Milk

At the best oyster bars, oyster stew is always made partly with clam juice, for added flavour. Oysters and clams are often butter-sautéed and served on toast with sauce tartare, or used as a garnish to a thick swordfish steak.

In New England, oysters and clams are often escalloped together.

All measurements are level. Recipes Proportioned to Serve 4 to 6

Escalloped Oysters and Clams: Make 3 c. rich white sauce, using a standard recipe.

To 1½ c. add 1 pt. small shucked oysters. To the remaining sauce, add 1 pt. shucked clams.

Next, to 1½ c. soft enriched bread crumbs, add 3 tbsp. melted butter and 1 tsp. minced parsley.

Arrange the oysters, crumbs and clams in alternating layers in a buttered 3-pt. low casserole. Make the top layer crumbs.

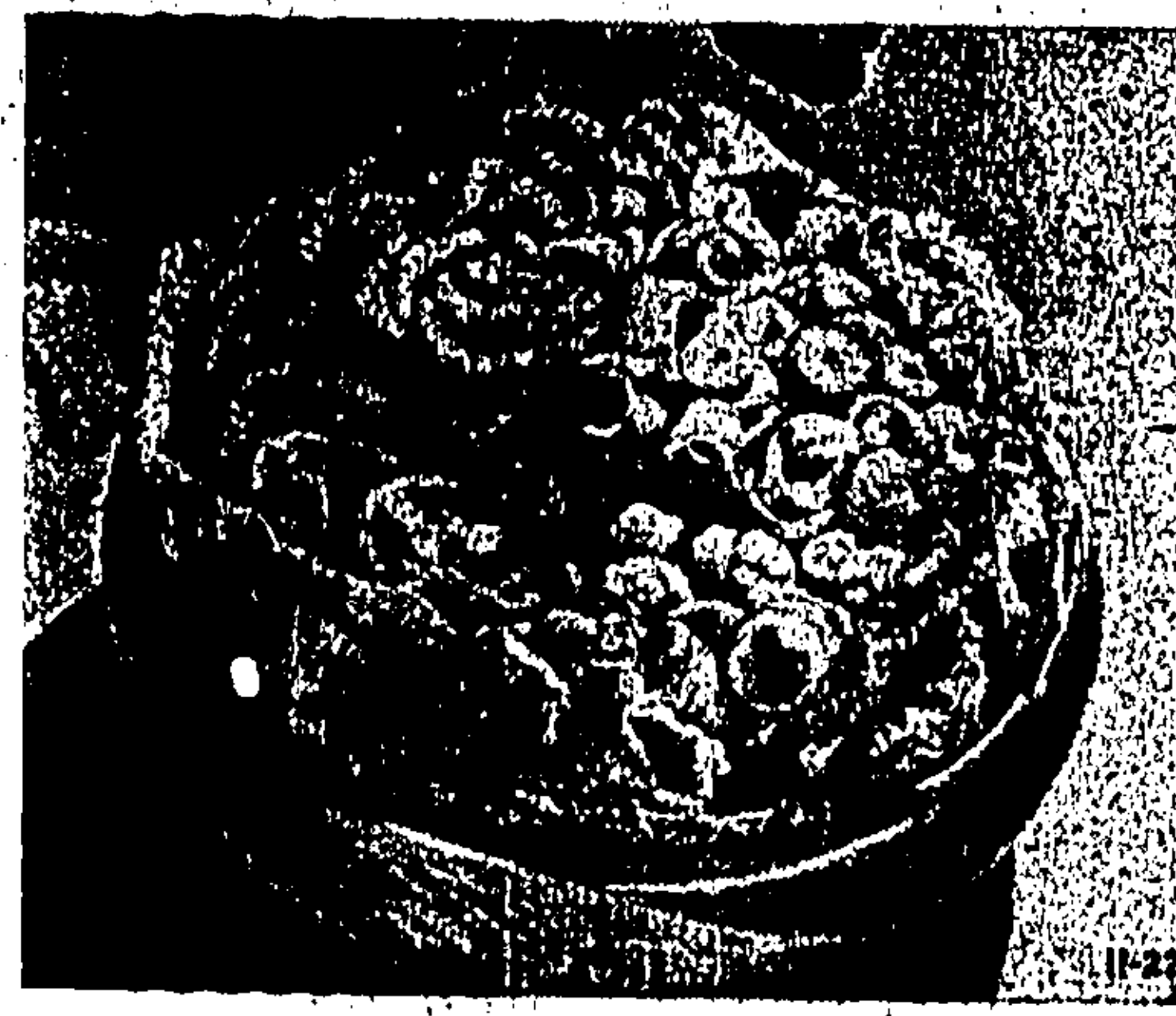
Bake in a moderate oven, 350° to 375°F. about 35 min. or long enough to cook the oysters and clams and brown the crumbs.

If you like, dust the top with 2 tbsp. grated Parmesan cheese, before baking.

Tomorrow's Dinner

Tomato Relish Salad
Escalloped Oysters and Clams
French-Fries Green Peas
Cocoanut Tapioca Puff
Coffee Tea Milk

Tomato Relish Salad: Wash and slice 2 medium-size fresh tomatoes. Spread the slices with mayonnaise. Top with thin slices raw onion. Dust with salt and pepper. Garnish with a little pickle relish.



TO PERK UP APPETITES jaded by too many holiday goodies, serve a salad bowl of mixed fresh raw vegetables.

Serve individually, 1 or 2 slices in a nest of lettuce or cross.

Cocoanut Tapioca Puff: Scald 3 c. milk. Stir in 1/3 c. quick-cooking tapioca. Cook-stir 5 min. or until clear. Stir in 1/2 c. shredded or flaked cocoanut.

Separate 2 eggs. Beat the yolks light. Mix with 1/3 c. sugar and 1/3 tsp. salt. Stir into the cooking tapioca. Stir 1 min.

Remove from the heat. Add 1/2 pt. pure vanilla extract.

Beat the 2 egg whites stiff. Fold into the tapioca. Chill. Serve plain or with whipped cream, chocolate sauce, or half-thawed frozen raspberries.

Suggestion of the Chef

Combine cooked Brussels sprouts with sliced cooked carrots. Add butter and seasoned salt to taste.

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"...BUT I HAVE NO TALENT!"

By ANNE HEYWOOD

HAVE you ever felt real envy?

Unless you're an insensitive type, it's a pretty horrible feeling.

You're trying to be happy over someone else's good fortune and, instead, you feel miserable. You wish you had the good luck. You begin to dwell on how, after all, she doesn't deserve it, she's not that much better than you.

Next thing you know, you find yourself almost hating her. Then your conscience hurts. First thing you know, you're in a real state.

It happens a great deal more than we'd like to admit. While novels deal almost exclusively with the envy a woman feels when another woman gets a dream man, my work brings me into contact with another kind of envy. It's the kind a woman feels when another woman gets a better job, or more money, or more prestige, or more creative self-expression.

"My neighbour makes all her own clothes. They are stunning," a woman will write me. "And here I am, with no ability at all."

Or, "Mary got the nicest part-time job. I try to be happy for her but I keep thinking, 'Why not me?'"

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People just—long for an invitation to her dinner parties. Nobody feels that way about mine."

It always reminds me, in reverse, of that grisly little maxim of La Rochefoucauld's: "In the manufacturing of even our dearest friends, there is something not entirely displeasing."

The answer is not, it seems to me, to develop more virtue, to force yourself into a spurious happiness for your lucky friend. That requires a degree of sainthood most of us don't have. The answer is to find some talent of your own, which will enable you to shine. When you're expressing yourself creatively, you no longer envy the other person. In fact, you can be truly happy for her.

That suppose you have no talent at all? I just want to tell you, with nothing I really love or do well," is a typical answer—and it's wrong.

I have known many hundreds of people. I have yet to find one without a talent. It may not be a flashy one,

Tomorrow's Chances At The Valley

By "RAPIER"

The Hongkong Jockey Club's Sixth Race Meeting of the current season continues from 2.00 p.m. sharp tomorrow, and with the possibility of the weather remaining fine there ought to be another large attendance at The Valley.

There are eight events down for decision, the main attraction being the two sections of the Doncaster Handicap for Class 3 ponies over the mile.

Mr. Chan Kiu, who has now fully recovered from his recent operation, will resume riding tomorrow. There are no estimates of the chances.

FIRST RACE
(Charles Handicap (First Section) 1 mile 2 furlongs)
The opening race of the day is for Class 3 ponies with novice jockeys as riders. The event seems to be very open. Among the entries I take a fancy to Hawaiian Moon (W. P. K. Lam).

SECOND RACE
(Thick Handicap (From 1.5 mile) 1 mile)
This print event is confined to Class 3 ponies. The following should be prominent: Flying Dutchman (W. P. K. Lam), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai) and Hammer Mill (H. K. Wong).

THIRD RACE
(Charles Handicap (Second Section) 1 mile 2 furlongs)
This race is also for Class 3 ponies. The following should be prominent: Flying Dutchman (W. P. K. Lam), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai) and Hammer Mill (H. K. Wong).

FOURTH RACE
(Galloway Handicap (First Section) 1 mile)
This race is also for Class 3 ponies. The following should be prominent: Flying Dutchman (W. P. K. Lam), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai) and Hammer Mill (H. K. Wong).

FIFTH RACE
(Doncaster Handicap (First Section) 1 mile)
This is the final event of the day in which the second section of Class 3 ponies will battle out the finish.

SIXTH RACE
(Galloway Handicap (Second Section) 1 mile)
This race is also for Class 3 ponies. The following should be prominent: Flying Dutchman (W. P. K. Lam), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai) and Hammer Mill (H. K. Wong).

SEVENTH RACE
(Goodwood Handicap (1.5 miles))
In this race Outsider (H. K. Wong), Winning Touch (H. K. Wong), Fox Hunter (S. L. Chan) and Bayshore (H. M. Botelho) should be prominent.

EIGHTH RACE
(Doncaster Handicap (Second Section) 1 mile)
This is the final event of the day in which the second section of Class 3 ponies will battle out the finish.

NINTH RACE
(Galloway Handicap (Third Section) 1 mile)
This race is also for Class 3 ponies. The following should be prominent: Flying Dutchman (W. P. K. Lam), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai) and Hammer Mill (H. K. Wong).

TENTH RACE
(Charles Handicap (Third Section) 1 mile 2 furlongs)
This race is also for Class 3 ponies. The following should be prominent: Flying Dutchman (W. P. K. Lam), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai) and Hammer Mill (H. K. Wong).

ELEVENTH RACE
(Thick Handicap (From 1.5 mile) 1 mile)
This print event is confined to Class 3 ponies. The following should be prominent: Flying Dutchman (W. P. K. Lam), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai) and Hammer Mill (H. K. Wong).

TWELFTH RACE
(Charles Handicap (Fourth Section) 1 mile 2 furlongs)
This race is also for Class 3 ponies. The following should be prominent: Flying Dutchman (W. P. K. Lam), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai) and Hammer Mill (H. K. Wong).

THIRTEENTH RACE
(Galloway Handicap (Fourth Section) 1 mile)
This race is also for Class 3 ponies. The following should be prominent: Flying Dutchman (W. P. K. Lam), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai) and Hammer Mill (H. K. Wong).

FOURTEENTH RACE
(Doncaster Handicap (Third Section) 1 mile)
This is the final event of the day in which the second section of Class 3 ponies will battle out the finish.

FIFTEENTH RACE
(Galloway Handicap (Fifth Section) 1 mile)
This race is also for Class 3 ponies. The following should be prominent: Flying Dutchman (W. P. K. Lam), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai) and Hammer Mill (H. K. Wong).

SIXTEENTH RACE
(Charles Handicap (Fifth Section) 1 mile 2 furlongs)
This race is also for Class 3 ponies. The following should be prominent: Flying Dutchman (W. P. K. Lam), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai) and Hammer Mill (H. K. Wong).

SEVENTEENTH RACE
(Thick Handicap (From 1.5 mile) 1 mile)
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EIGHTEENTH RACE
(Charles Handicap (Sixth Section) 1 mile 2 furlongs)
This race is also for Class 3 ponies. The following should be prominent: Flying Dutchman (W. P. K. Lam), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai) and Hammer Mill (H. K. Wong).

NINETEENTH RACE
(Galloway Handicap (Sixth Section) 1 mile)
This race is also for Class 3 ponies. The following should be prominent: Flying Dutchman (W. P. K. Lam), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai) and Hammer Mill (H. K. Wong).

Twentieth RACE
(Doncaster Handicap (Fourth Section) 1 mile)
This is the final event of the day in which the second section of Class 3 ponies will battle out the finish.

Twenty-first RACE
(Galloway Handicap (Seventh Section) 1 mile)
This race is also for Class 3 ponies. The following should be prominent: Flying Dutchman (W. P. K. Lam), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai) and Hammer Mill (H. K. Wong).

Twenty-second RACE
(Charles Handicap (Seventh Section) 1 mile 2 furlongs)
This race is also for Class 3 ponies. The following should be prominent: Flying Dutchman (W. P. K. Lam), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai), Emperor Delight (C. F. Lai) and Hammer Mill (H. K. Wong).

Cut this out and take it to the races tomorrow for your guidance.

Probable Starters, Weights & Riders

Probable starters, weights and riders for tomorrow's Happy Valley race meeting are given below. This list is based on the most up-to-date information available. As an additional guide to form, the placings of the ponies in their last three starts will be found on the left-hand side of their names.

| Probable Starters, Weights & Riders | Probable Starters, Weights & Riders |
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WORLD OF SPORT THE HIGHLY TALENTED BOYS OF HONVED AND RED BANNER ARE IN VERY GREAT DEMAND

Says DEREK JOHN

Expect the big sort-out of Hungarian footballers to be completed soon. With frantic trans-European telephone calls, and air dashes by Europe's soccer bosses keeping us on our toes, one thing is certain: The highly talented boys of Honved and Red Banner are in very great demand.

Of course clearance certificates still have to be issued by FIFA, who are inclined to the view that the Hungarian FA should still have the last word.

From Britain's point of view Wolves have made the first strike. Stan Cullis, straight-talking manager of this progressive club, with a pretty good record of Continental conquests, flew to Vienna and came back with Istvan Kovacs, the 18-year-old boy wonder, wing-half, and a member of the Hungarian Youth team that toured Britain recently.

Perseus Puskas, the "Gallop Major", and captain of the Hungarian national eleven, has said quite openly that whatever happens in the near future, he hopes eventually to arrive in Britain and play for an English club.

Manchester United, West Bromwich Albion and Wolves are on the short list. Karolyi Sandor, the 28-year-old Red Banner outside-right, has refused all English overtures. Birmingham and Manchester City were keen to secure his services. Instead Sandor has been training with the Austrian Republic club, and is likely to go on their American tour.

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Frenchman Outpoints Tanny Campo In Non-Title Fight

Paris, Jan. 3.
Filipino bantamweight Tanny Campo was beaten tonight on points by French bantamweight champion, Dante Bini, in a ten-round non-title fight in Paris.

Throughout tonight's fight, it was obvious that Tanny Campo who has not boxed since October 20, was rusty from being too long outside of the ring. Tonight's bout was the poorest fight he has had in Paris, and his defeat was obvious.

Campo was unable to explain his numerous confused punches during the last three rounds, which cost him the loss of the bout.

The disappointment of the Philippine boxer was great. He went specially to the Philippine Ambassador to France, Salvador Lopez, who attended the fight, to apologise for his poor showing.

Tonight's defeat could have serious consequences for Campo's career. Talks had been underway for a match with Spanish bantamweight, Juan Cardenas, who is ranked in Europe nearly on the same level as Agita, Balini and Keenan.

A STIFF BATTLE
Bini slowly gained the advantage over Campo as the bout progressed, but the Philippine boxer put up a stiff battle and had Bini in difficulty several times.

In the fourth and sixth rounds Campo's punches were especially telling on his opponent, Bini, nevertheless maintained a tactic of slinking and in-fighting, which became very effective in the later rounds.

East Zone Davis Cup Matches In India?
Calcutta, Jan. 3.
The All-India Lawn Tennis Association is trying to have East Zone matches of the Davis Cup competition staged in India.

If efforts are successful it would be the first time in history that such encounters have been staged there.

The East Zone came into being four years ago, at India's suggestion, but there have not always been the required minimum of three entries to justify a zonal competition.

Eastern countries have then competed in the European Zone but last year India, Ceylon and Japan entered India's best Ceylon (in Colombo), and then beat Japan (in Tokyo).

According to present plans East Zone matches are due to be played in Madras this year.

"Sugar" Ray Wants Return Bout As Soon As Possible

New York, Jan. 3.
Former middleweight champion "Sugar" Ray Robinson, announced today that he wanted a return bout as soon as possible with Gene Fullmer, who defeated him last night on points to win the middleweight title.

Robinson's decision was announced at a press conference called by his manager, George Carlinson, and the former champion was in excellent physical and mental condition.

During his bout last night with Fullmer, Robinson only suffered a cut over the left eyebrow, which required five or six stitches.

The contract for last night's fight included a clause for a return match within three months.

Fullmer said that if Robinson demanded the rematch, he would knock him out the next time. He said he had fought last night for nothing, but the next time he would ask for the lion's share of the purse and keep the title as well.

BACK TO WORK
Gene Fullmer, who won the World Middleweight Boxing Championship from "Sugar" Ray Robinson, last night, stated today that he was going back to his job as a welder in the Utah copper mines.

His bosses gave him time off to train for his match with the veteran champion, which he won on points.

Fullmer will leave New York on Monday and will go back to work until resuming training for the return match, which will probably take place in March.

FIGHT PURSE
Veteran boxer, "Sugar" Ray Robinson, who lost his middleweight championship to Gene Fullmer last night on points, will receive \$138,190.44 for the title bout, it was disclosed today.

Fullmer will receive a hard-earned \$20,915.40 plus the middleweight title.

The 18,134 spectators at the fight brought in \$194,040.20. After taxes were deducted, the net receipts were \$168,010.75.

Fullmer received 12.5 per cent of the net receipts, Robinson's share was 47.5 per cent, plus 50 per cent of the television rights of \$130,190.11.

The two boxers will also have to pay Federal and New York State taxes. In Robinson's case, this means that, after his training expenses are paid, 70 per cent of the remainder of his purse will go to the Government.

CAPETOWN TEST

BIG LEAD BY ENGLAND IN THIRD DAY'S PLAY

Capetown, Jan. 3.

Helped by the fine spin bowling of Johnny Wardle, (five for 63), England with ten wickets in hand led South Africa by 185 runs at the close on the third day of the Second Test here today.

South Africa were dismissed for 205 shortly before tea in reply to England's first innings of 369. England, with a lead of 164, did not enforce the follow on and were 21 for no wicket at the close.

Wardle, the Yorkshire left arm bowler, bowled consistently on a pitch which took some spin.

John Walter, the South African wicketkeeper, was top scorer with 48.

The pitch was completely lacking in pace and the batsmen had little trouble with England's speed attack. But intelligent bowling and tight fielding severely restricted the scoring rate.

South Africa, 51 for three overnight, suffered unconvincingly in losing their remaining seven wickets for 134 runs today. The last four wickets all of which fell to Wardle, went in the space of 27 runs. Roy McLean showed some early aggression in scoring 42 but his innings lasted almost two hours. Russell Endean batted one hour 48 minutes for 17 helped add 52 for the seventh wicket with Walter.

South Africa added 54 runs for the loss of one wicket in the two hours before lunch when they were 105 for four. Then Wardle's spin bowling finished off the tailenders. Clive Van Ryneveld, the former Oxford University Blue, defended stubbornly for just under three hours for 26 runs.

THE SCOREBOARD

England—First Innings 369
(M. C. Cowdrey 101, T. G. Evans 62, D. C. S. Compton 58; Tayfield five for 130).

South Africa—First Innings

D. J. McGlew, c. Cowdrey, b. Laker 14
T. G. Evans, c. Evans, b. Laker 13
H. Keith, c. Evans, b. Laker 14
C. B. Van Ryneveld, b. Wardle 25
H. T. G. Pienaar, c. May, b. Wardle 42
R. S. Statham, c. Evans, b. Wardle 40
R. Endean, b. Wardle 17
J. Walters not out 7

Wickets fell at 1-23, 2-39, 3-48, 4-63, 5-110, 6-126, 7-178, 8-191 and 9-191.

Bowling
Statham 10 0 38 1
Laker 21 5 33 2
Laker 28 8 65 1
Bailey 11 5 13 0
Wardle 23 6 0 53 5

England—Second Innings
P. E. Richardson not out 17
T. E. Bailey not out 3
Extras 1
Total (for no wkt.) 21

Bowling
Adcock 3 0 8 0
Hobbs 4 0 11 0
Godard 2 1 1 0
Tayfield 1 1 0 0

England won the first Test at Johannesburg by 131 runs.—Reuter.

OLYMPIC GOLD MEDALLIST HOME



Judy Grinham, 17-year-old Olympic Gold Medal swimmer, is pictured with her proud parents at home in London after her return from Melbourne. Judy, a Back Stroke Champion, says her next move is to find a job—but she's not sure what kind of job.—Express Photo.

SPORTS VIEWPOINT

Five Years As Reserve To A Star Can Be An Awfully Long Time

Says ERIC NICHOLLS

Five years as reserve to a star can be an awfully long time. You begin to wonder if it isn't all a waste of time, whether your chance will ever come. But in your heart you realise that the club manager is a fair-minded character, and that when the opportunity presents itself, he will see that you get a fair chance.

It happened at Old Trafford to Mark Jones, Manchester United's brilliant young centre-half. Jones remained content with his lot. For as he puts it, "I was at a great club, to me the best in the game."

Jones waited, while Allenby Chilton, now player-manager of Grimsby Town, held the first team position, seemingly for ever.

But his chance came. As he knew it would. For United are a good club, a happy club, a club which looks after its players.

That is why the young Mark Jones chose Manchester United, after gaining four English schoolboy caps, from all the offers from League clubs. United were famous. But more important, everyone spoke highly of their good treatment, and no-one seemed to want to leave the club.

GLAMOUR CLUBS
Therein lies a story. It has often been said that youngsters who have made a mark for themselves in schoolboy football go to the glamour clubs, the successful sides.

Certainly, the clubs in the news are uppermost in a boy's mind. But a sensible boy, guided by sensible parents, wants a little more out of a career than that. He wants to be sure that he is going to be happy, and that he will get a fair crack of the whip.

This may surprise those who regard modern football as purely big business. But the inescapable fact remains that the great clubs have been built on club spirit as well as success. And a happy club is more likely to go forward than a club with a discontented playing staff.

The story of Arsenal is the story of big business, the story of buying and selling with an eye to the weekly takings from the turnstiles. But there is more to Highbury than that.

It was not until I read the story of the late Tom Whittaker that I realised the full extent of the Arsenal spirit, and what it meant to Whittaker. The club came before all else. The chairman, the trainer and

the players were not thought of as individuals when a decision had to be made. If it was good for the club then it was right.

And every youngster who ever went to Highbury quickly learned one thing. The only thing that mattered was the club.

SPONGE BAT
The 'ban sponge' campaign in English table tennis has been stepped up considerably during the last few weeks. Gloucestershire started the ball rolling by issuing a warning that no player who used a bat covered by anything other than ordinary plimped rubber would be considered for a place in the county team next season.

Now National Director of Coaching Jack Carrington and

Kent's member of the sports National Executive, Conrad Jaschke are sponsoring a nation-wide petition. Already 90 per cent of the players approached have signed the petition which is likely to be placed before the Executive next month.

Victor Barna, the former world champion, was first to sign in the sports town county, Middlesex. He was quickly followed by internationals Laurie Landry, Eddie Hodson and by Alan Lindsay, a highly successful "sponger" who admits, "sponge is ruling the game."

Match Secretary Frank Bateman, and county players Brian Brunwell, Ivor Jones and Bobby Stevens led the way in Essex, while Surrey captain Ron Craydon is likely to be followed by most of the county team.

Now the Hungarian players, in England after an Irish tour, are asked to be allowed to sign the petition.

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Royal H.K. Defence Force Orders

Serial No. 1. Orders by Brigadier L. T. Ride, CBE, ED, Commandant, Royal Hongkong Defence Force. Dated January 2, 1957.

Force Headquarters
1st Platoon.—Wednesday, January 2, 1957.—Parade MFG 2 p.m. Dress: Muli.
2nd Platoon.—Thursday, January 3, 1957.—Parade MFG 2 p.m. Dress: Muli.
3rd Platoon.—Friday, January 4, 1957.—Parade MFG 2 p.m. Dress: Muli.
4th Platoon.—Saturday, January 5, 1957.—Parade MFG 2 p.m. Dress: Muli.
5th Platoon.—Sunday, January 6, 1957.—Parade MFG 2 p.m. Dress: Muli.

The Hongkong Regiment
Weekly Training Period.—(a) With effect from January 1, 1957 weekly training periods will take place at RTR from 9.30 p.m. to 1.30 p.m. as follows:—Tuesday—A Coy, MFG 9.30 p.m. to 1.30 p.m.; Wednesday—B Coy, MFG 9.30 p.m. to 1.30 p.m.; Thursday—C Coy, MFG 9.30 p.m. to 1.30 p.m.; Friday—D Coy, MFG 9.30 p.m. to 1.30 p.m.; Saturday—E Coy, MFG 9.30 p.m. to 1.30 p.m.; Sunday—F Coy, MFG 9.30 p.m. to 1.30 p.m. (b) Details of other training periods, i.e., field days and weekends will be notified in orders and by personal letter as they occur. (c) Letters have been sent to all employers informing them of these new times and special events. (d) All ranks must read weekly orders to ensure that they are aware of any changes or additions to training days and hours.

Training.—Thursday, January 10, 1957.—Parade MFG 8.30 p.m. Dress: Overall, Beret, Belt.
Hongkong Auxiliary Air Force
Training.—Tuesday, January 8, 1957.—Parade MFG 8.30 p.m. Dress: Overall, Beret, Belt.
Hongkong Police District, North Point
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Hongkong Police District, South Point
Training.—Tuesday, January 8, 1957.—Parade MFG 8.30 p.m. Dress: Overall, Beret, Belt.
Hongkong Police District, Central
Training.—Tuesday, January 8, 1957.—Parade MFG 8.30 p.m. Dress: Overall, Beret, Belt.

THE TRAGIC ACTRESS' FACE HAS ALWAYS BEEN RARE ON THE SCREEN

Says DILYS POWELL

On the screen the tragic face, and in particular the tragic actress' face, has always been rare; I am inclined to think that since the arrival of the talking film it has grown rarer still.

The simple, mournful situations which suited the silent film were no longer appropriate to a cinema equipped with dialogue; perhaps with the demand for a different kind of story came the demand for a different kind of face, or perhaps features which could utter words no longer needed to speak for themselves with so native a melancholy.

Beautiful and interesting faces we have, faces one looks at with a certain reverence. But since Garbo with her more or less perfect features, there has been no actress I can think of whose more look could suggest tragedy.

Not that is, until Ellie Lambert, whose performance in "A Girl in Black" if beauty and talent had their just reward, would be the talk of London. We have seen Miss Lambert before in "Windfall in Athens," the first of the three Greek films so far made by this director. She was gay and charming in that; but her right place, I feel sure, is in comedy but in tragedy; and "A Girl in Black," whatever its ending may say, is essentially tragic. Indeed, it has the elements of classical tragedy which to my mind are never far beneath the surface of life in Greece. Open a Greek newspaper any day and you may read of family dishonour avenged; and on the screen it is Greece striking down its own children. The film opens with a re-creation of the Orestes in a village boy ignominiously prevented, and there has been no murdered Agamemnon.

PURSUED

And the Electra is herself pursued, not by the Furies but by human cruelty. The film opens with a re-creation of the Orestes in a village boy ignominiously prevented, and there has been no murdered Agamemnon.

Olympic Athletes Seek Refuge In Austria

Vienna, Jan. 3.
Two members of the Hungarian Olympic team, and the fiancée of a third team member, sought refuge in Austria today.

Kayak specialist, Cecile Berke, 25, hopes to rejoin her husband in Britain, while water-polo player, Antal Bolvanyi, 24, wishes to go to rejoin his fiancée.

Margit Hemzoo, fiancée of Hungarian athlete, Attila Takacs, also chose freedom. Takacs sought refuge in the United States after the Olympic Games in Melbourne.

All said they had crossed the Hungarian frontier without difficulty, thanks to the aid of helpers specialised in these escapes.—France-Press.

Level After 3 Years

Old Boltonians and Rochdale St. Clements have identical records after three seasons of struggle in the Lancashire Amateur League. Last season Old Boltonians finished runners-up to their rivals, but won the League Cup. The season before the League and Cup positions were reversed. This season they are level on points, have both won nine matches and drawn one. The drawn match was against each other. Only difference is that Old Boltonians have a superior average of six-tenths of a goal. Looks like another photo-finish for the title.

NOTICE

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

Programmes and Entry Forms for the 7th Race Meeting 1956/57 to be held on Saturday 19th and Sunday 20th January, 1957, (weather permitting) may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Alexandra House, the Club House, Happy Valley, and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road. Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Tuesday, 8th January, 1957.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. E. ARNOLD
Secretary

lingering rhythms of the Aegean. But Cacoyannis, since he is himself a Greek, understands the violence beneath the surface. The girl, daughter of a disgraced family, walking alone in the shapeless black of the villages, is publicly mocked by her rejected suitor; and soon the stranger who plagues her is involved in a series of insults and threats and heartless, dangerous jokes.

Only for a moment or two does the director let the balance tip over into the lachrymose; for the rest, even the cruelty has something serene and antique about it. Walter Lassally's photography has finely caught the shape and movement of a Greek harbour town. And the acting is excellent. George Fountas as the arrogant, sardonic tormentor being particularly effective. But it is Ellie Lambert's face which I remember first; the face of a great classical people, a face so varied in tragedy that it can seem, even on the black-and-white screen, to change colour and contour with sudden terror or passion.

BEYOND QUESTION

"The Silent World," justly acclaimed at the Cannes Festival, and beyond question the most extraordinary as well as the most beautiful of the underwater documentaries.

Cousteau, his co-director Louis Malle and the diving team of the research ship Calypso have brilliantly recorded the extravagant life of the submarine landscape; recorded it, what is more, in colours hidden from its inhabitants, since without the powerful lights of the camera-man there can at such depths be no visible colour-range; the blazing colours live in monotonous darkness.

Not only the submarine is recorded. One passage shows a turtle slowly, painfully, lovingly laying her eggs in the sand before, eyes roving with tears, she drags herself back to the sea; and there are marvellous shots of a school of porpoises, the sea foaming with their delighted leaping. Sometimes melancholy creeps into the picture: in the disquiet of the name—a Scottish name—of the bell of a sunken ship; in a still-life of fish killed by dynamite. One passage—a young wounded whale devoured by sharks—has been cut since the showing at Cannes; though it seems no more ferocious than the massacre of the sharks by the crew which follows. The film with its exquisite colour (the director of photography is Edmond Seban, the cameraman of "The Red Balloon") does not seem the worse to me for the abbreviation.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

SIXTH RACE MEETING

Tuesday 1st and Saturday 5th January, 1957.

(To be held under the Rules of the Hong Kong Jockey Club)

THE PROGRAMME WILL CONSIST OF 18 RACES.

The First Bell will be rung at 11.30 a.m. and the First Race run at 12.00 Noon on the 1st Day. The Tiffin interval is after the Fourth Race (1.30 p.m.).

On the 2nd Day the First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m. and the First Race run at 2.00 p.m.

The Secretary's Office at Alexandra House will close at 10.00 a.m. on the 1st Day and at 11.45 a.m. on the 2nd Day.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE

NO PERSON WITHOUT A BADGE WILL BE ADMITTED.

All persons MUST wear their badges prominently displayed throughout the meeting.

Admission Badges at \$10.00 each per day are obtainable from the Club's Cash Sweep Office, at Queen's Building, Chater Road only on the written introduction of a Member, who will be responsible for all visitors introduced by him.

Tickets will be obtainable at the Club House if ordered in advance from the No. 1 Box (Tel. 72811).

The 6th Floor is restricted to Members and Ladies wearing Lady's Brooches.

NO CHILDREN will be admitted to the Club's premises during the Meeting. For this purpose a Child is a person under the age of seventeen years, Western Standard.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

The price of admission will be \$3.00 each per day payable at the Gate.

Any person leaving the Enclosure will be required to pay the requisite fee of \$3.00 in order to gain re-admission.

MEALS and REFRESHMENTS will be obtainable in the RESTAURANT.

SERVANTS

Servants must remain in their employers' boxes except for passing through on their duties. They may on no account use the Betting Booths or Pay Out Booths in the Enclosures.

CASH SWEEPS

Through Cash Sweep Tickets at \$20.00 each for the 1st Day, \$16.00 each for the 2nd Day and \$8.00 each for both days may be obtained from the Cash Sweep Office, at Queen's Building, (Chater Road), and 5, D'Almeida Street during normal office hours and until 11.00 a.m. on the day of the Race Meeting.

Particular numbers within the series 1 to 3,000 may be reserved for all race meetings as Through Tickets. Such tickets will be issued consecutively only and the right is reserved by the Stewards to cancel any reservation for Through Tickets for a particular meeting if it is found that sales may not reach the number reserved in the series 1 to 3,000.

In the case of two-day Race Meetings, Through Tickets may be purchased for each day of the Meeting provided that the second day is on a date not less than five days after the first day. In all other cases Through Tickets will only be sold for the whole Meeting.

Tickets reserved and available but not paid for by 10.00 a.m. on Monday, 5th December, 1956, will be sold and the reservation cancelled for future Meetings.

Tickets over 3,000 will also be issued consecutively but particular numbers cannot be reserved as Through Tickets.

The reservation of any particular number does not confer on the registered holder any rights whatsoever unless the ticket bearing the appropriate number is issued to and can be produced by the holder.

The Stewards reserve the right to refuse any subscription also the right to remove any name from Subscription lists without stating reasons for their action.

SPECIAL CASH SWEEP

Tickets for the Special Cash Sweep on the Pearce Memorial Cup scheduled to be run on 20th January 1957, at \$2.00 each, may be obtained from the Cash Sweep Office.

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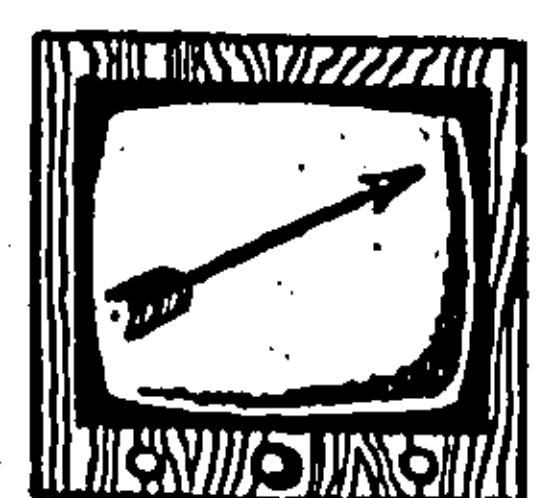
Backers are advised not to destroy or throw away their tickets until after the "all clear" signal has been exhibited.

ALL WINNING TICKETS AND TICKETS FOR REFUNDS MUST BE PRESENTED FOR PAYMENT AT THE RACE COURSE ON THE DAY TO WHICH THEY REFER, NOT LATER THAN ONE HOUR AFTER THE TIME FOR WHICH THE LAST RACE OF THE DAY HAS BEEN SCHEDULED TO BE RUN.

PAYMENT WILL NOT BE MADE ON TORN OR DISFIGURED TICKETS.

Bookmakers' Tote Ties, etc. will not be permitted to operate within the precincts of the Hong Kong Jockey Club.

By Order of the Stewards,
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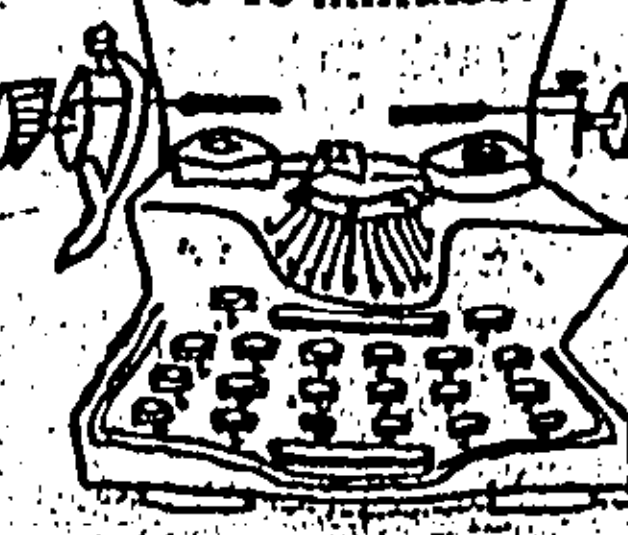
INSTRUCTIONS: Fill in the spaces against each of the clues below with a word related to my life. The letters in circles spell out my name. Who am I?

1 Love
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3 Became immortal
4 February misdeed
5 They point

Solution on Page 8

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SAN FRANCISCO BALLET COMING TO HONGKONG

By WILLIAM FLYNN

San Francisco, Jan. 3.
Californian culture, represented by the San Francisco ballet, will be shown to the world during the first three months of 1957.

Youthful and daring in its modern interpretations of the classical principles of ballet, the troupe will leave here on January 7 for a tour of the Far East and the Middle East.

They will arrive in Hongkong on January 10 and give four performances before leaving for Rangoon on January 25.

The company, the oldest in the United States, was established in 1933, as an auxiliary to the San Francisco Opera. For more than 20 years, its fame was regional. Then, last summer, it ventured into the metropolitan areas of the Atlantic coast and won the praise of critics who agreed that it was "a national asset." As a result, the International Exchange Programme of the American National Theatre and Academy, in co-operation with the Government, is sponsoring the tour.

YOUTH HALLMARK

The hallmark of the company is youth. Igor Stravinsky has described its members as "indecently young." Their average age is 19.8 years.

The leading ballerinas, Nancy Johnson, aged 24, and Sally Bailey, aged 23, are considered the "sisters" of the group. Conrad Ludlow, the most promising of the male dancers, is 21. Three members of the 18-member group are only 16.

Most of the dancers are natives of California. They have been picked for the company after the "national" competition among the students of "form classes" maintained throughout the region. The most successful school is the San Francisco Ballet School, operated by officials of the Ballet Company.

The ballet company is the result of the drive and energy of the Christensen brothers, Harold, Lew, and their administrative predecessor, William.

Harold Christensen is director of the school. Lew Christensen is manager of the company. William Christensen was associated with the enterprise for more than 20 years and is now a member of the teaching staff of the University of Utah, at Salt Lake City. He is the only full professor of ballet in the United States.

VITALITY

Lew Christensen has created most of the ballets which the company performs. He is credited with bringing vitality to the centuries-old art and, critics say, has captivated audiences by the imagination and ingenuity of his ballets.

In addition to the work of Lew Christensen, the company includes in its repertoire examples of the work of George Balanchine, of the New York City Ballet. He is considered to have had more influence on American ballet than any other choreographer.

The company performs to the music of the classical masters: Bach, Mozart, Rossini, Tchaikovsky, and Stravinsky.

The first purpose of the San Francisco Ballet was to supply the San Francisco Opera Company with dancers for opera performances. It continues to fulfil this function.

The first choreographer staged many successful productions and established ballet as part of the permanent culture scene of San Francisco. Bolm was succeeded by Sergio Oukrainsky in 1939 and he enlarged the Company's scope. After two years as premier danseur, William Christensen succeeded Oukrainsky in 1938.

TRADITION
William Christensen developed the company. To its repertoire, he added whole ballets like "Coppelia," "Swan Lake," and "The Nutcracker." Presentation of "The Nutcracker" has become an annual tradition in San Francisco.

When William Christensen went to the University of Utah in 1931, his brother assumed direction of the company. He was responsible for an "exchange agreement" with the New York City Ballet, which has added to the reputation of both companies.

The members of the company have had a minimum of ten years' training. There are no stars in the group, but the three best known are Nancy Johnson, Sally Bailey, and Conrad Ludlow.

Miss Johnson was born in San Francisco in 1931. Miss Bailey was born a year later in Oakland, and Mr Ludlow is a native of Hamilton, Montana. He was born in 1935.

The Company, which will travel by air, sent more than 15,000 pounds (lbs) of equipment ahead by ship. This included costumes, stage lights, sets, and electrical equipment.

The electrical equipment is particularly important and includes a generator, made necessary because the Company does not intend to rely on orchestras for its music. It has recorded the music it requires on high-fidelity sound equipment and thus will have its own music wherever it goes.

MINISTERS ON POLAR FLIGHT

Copenhagen, Jan. 3.
The Danish Premier, Mr H. C. Hansen, the Norwegian Foreign Minister, Mr Halvard Lange and the Swedish Foreign Minister, Mr Oesten Unden, will fly to Tokyo on the opening flight of the Scandinavian Airlines System's new Polar route. The plane will arrive in Tokyo on February 28.—Router.



A scene from the official opening ceremony of what is said to be the world's first telecobalt-therapeutic center—the main apparatus being the anti-cancer cobalt bomb. The centre is situated in Turin's Poma Fimor Hospital.—Express Photo.

Refugee Airlift Completed

McGuire, New Jersey, Jan. 3.
"Operation Safe Haven", the airlift of 9,700 Hungarian refugees to the United States, was completed today.

The last planeload of Hungarians arrived here at 3:58 p.m. with 35 passengers aboard.

The history-making airlift began on December 11 with the departure from Munich of four Atlantic Division MATS planes carrying 189 Hungarians. The daily average during the 24-day operations period rose to above 500.

A breakdown of the total showed 4,314 men, 3,544 women and 1,842 children came to the U.S. by air.—United Press.

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 4

By Air
Thailand, India, Pakistan, Middle East, Africa, Great Britain & Europe, 6 p.m.
Canada, 6 p.m.
Japan, 6 p.m.
Formosa, U.S.A., 6 p.m.
Formosa, 6 p.m.
Japan, Canada, 4 p.m.
Macao, 6 p.m.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 5

By Air
Peking, Shanghai, Hankow, Kuning, 7 a.m.
Thailand, Malaya, N. Borneo, Indonesia, Australia, New Zealand, Ceylon, 10 a.m.
Philippines, 3 p.m.
Thailand, India, Pakistan, Middle East, Africa, Great Britain & Europe, 6 p.m.
Canada, 6 p.m.
Japan, 6 p.m.
Formosa, U.S.A., 6 p.m.
Formosa, 6 p.m.

Formosa, Japan, Okinawa, Korea, 6 p.m.

By Surface

China, People's Republic, 7 a.m.
Formosa, 6 a.m.
Malaya, West Australia, Faroes via Fremantle, 10 a.m.
Macao, 1 p.m.
Pakistan (P. India, Faroes via Karachi), 2 p.m.
Burma, India, 3 p.m.
N. Borneo, 4 p.m.
Indonesia, 4 p.m.
Thailand, 4 p.m.
China, People's Republic, 6 p.m.
Macao, 6 p.m.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 6

By Air
Philippines, 8 p.m.
Burma, India, Pakistan, Middle East, Africa, Great Britain & Europe, 6 p.m.
Canada, 6 p.m.
Japan, 6 p.m.
Formosa, U.S.A., 6 p.m.
Formosa, 6 p.m.
Macao, 1 p.m.

MONDAY, JANUARY 7

By Surface
China, People's Republic, 7 a.m.
Malaya, Portugal, East Africa, South Africa, Brazil, (N. & S. America), 10 a.m.
Thailand, India, Pakistan, Faroes via L. Marques, Argentina, Faroes direct, 11 a.m.
Burma, India, 3 p.m.
N. Borneo, 4 p.m.
Formosa, U.S.A., 6 p.m.
Formosa, 6 p.m.
Japan, 6 p.m.
Philippines, Italy, 4 p.m.
Macao, 6 p.m.

ART LOVERS RELUCTANT TO LEND TREASURES

Rome, Jan. 3.

Italian art lovers, unwilling to see their own national treasures go abroad, are only too pleased to see art treasures sent to them from other countries.

While a fierce campaign to prevent Italian old master paintings from being lent to exhibitions abroad has been waged by Italian artists, critics and newspapers, 3,000 art-lovers a day are flocking to see an exhibition of paintings here, nearly two-thirds of which have been lent by foreign collectors and art galleries.

The current exhibition of European paintings of the 17th century, or, as the Italians call it, "the 600," is one of the most important international art exhibitions ever held in Rome.

Appropriate

Many promising artists of that period came to study here and Romans feel that it is appropriate that their works should once more be reunited in the city which inspired them.

The exhibition is organized by an international committee under the auspices of the Council of Europe, which organized similar European Art Exhibitions in Brussels and in Amsterdam in 1954 and 1955 respectively.

Many works for this year's exhibition arrived late because of hesitancy over the international situation. But it is an encouraging example of international co-operation.

Each of the seven participating countries has paid for the transport and insurance of the pictures from private and national collections selected by the organizing committee in Rome.

The Mayor of Rome, Signor Umberto Tupini, placed Rome's spacious exhibition palace at the disposal of the organizers, who transformed the giant building into a modern picture gallery for the two months of the exhibition.

Visitors may see here examples of all the main trends of 17th century painting. A huge "Beholding of John the Baptist" by Michelangelo Merisi, called il Caravaggio after his native town, is the centre piece of the exhibition. It has just been restored, at the expense of the Italian Govern-

ment, after it had deteriorated seriously in the damp sea air of Malta, where it was painted nearly 350 years ago.

Exuberant Colours

Caravaggio developed a realistic style of painting which influenced painters in many European countries during the 17th century.

From Munich, comes "The rape of the daughters of Leukippus" by the Flemish painter, Peter Paul Rubens. Rubens belonged to a different tradition. His exuberant colours, swirling figures, prancing horses, and delight in painting voluptuous nudes contrast with the severe realism and studied contrast of colour and tone of Caravaggio.

Even more striking is the contrast between the cool fresh classicism of the French school of 17th century painters, such as Nicholas Poussin and Claude Lorrain, who both died in Rome, and the excesses of Rubens and his followers.

The Louvre museum in Paris has sent a score of famous paintings to the exhibition. Others come from Amsterdam, London, Grenoble, and the private collection of Queen Elizabeth II of Great Britain.

Yet only in October, a great outcry was being raised in Italy against the proposed shipment of 34 important Italian Renaissance paintings for exhibition in the United States. A 78-year-old Florentine painter, Enrico Sacchetti, began a legal action against the Mayor of Florence, when many of the works to be sent are housed to prevent him from authorizing the packing of the pictures.

Slogans

Several painters locked themselves in the Uffizi picture gallery in Florence, while questions were asked in Parliament about why these most precious art treasures should be subjected to the dangers of a trans-Atlantic crossing, and consequent changes in temperature and humidity, which have serious effects on old paintings.

With the tragedy of the sinking of the Italian trans-Atlantic liner, Andrea Doria, with the loss of 50 lives in July 1956, still fresh in their minds, art lovers wanted to know why Italy's most valuable masterpieces should be subjected to the hazards of the Atlantic.

Museum curators replied that the paintings are in no more danger from being sent abroad than when they remain in their home gallery, with the normal risk of fire and sudden damage.

Extremists are against any shipment of works of art abroad.

Only Reason

They say that the only possible reason for incurring the risk by transport from one country to another is the conservation of the actual work. Thus, the huge Caravaggio, the centrepiece of the exhibition in Rome, was brought from Malta because it was in urgent need of restoration.

Their opponents emphasize that if this is the case, it means an end to all international exhibitions of old works of art.—China Mail Special.

MANDRAKE THE MAGICIAN

By Lee Falk and Phil Davis

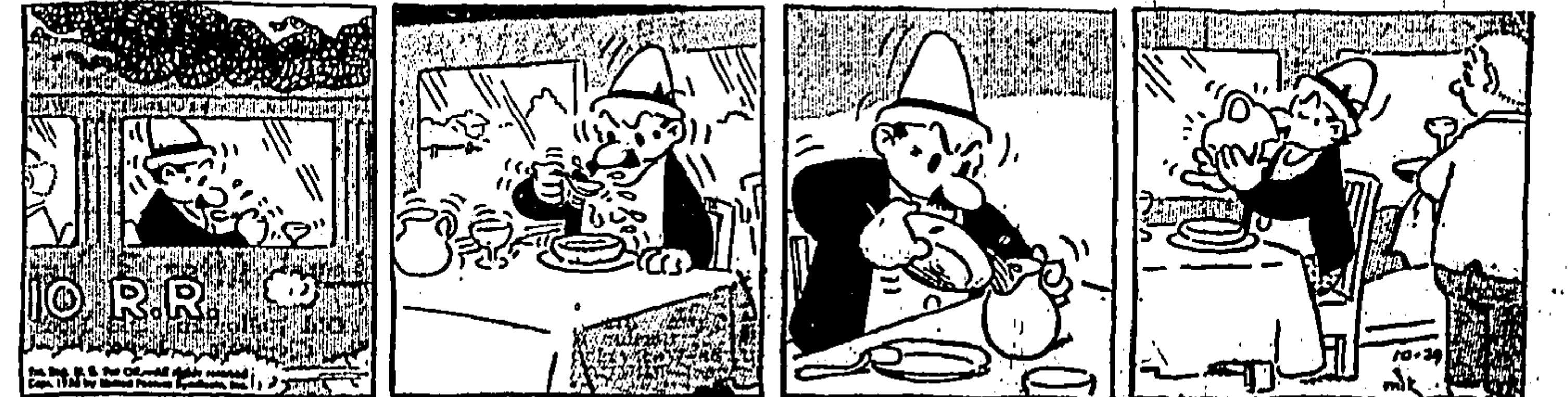


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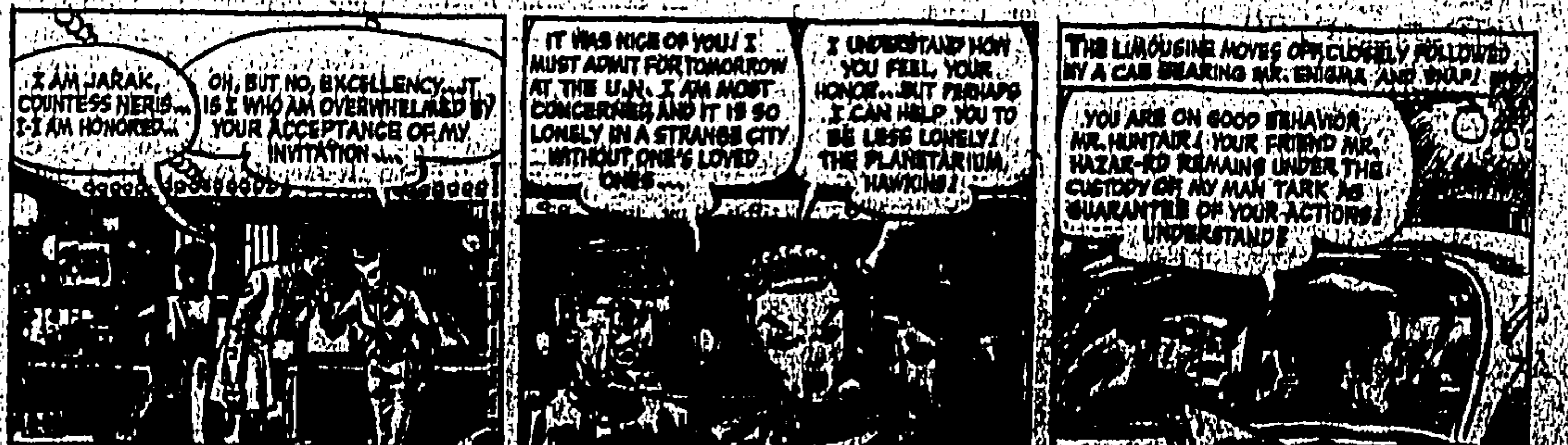


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JOHNNY HAZARD

By Frank Robbins



TIBETAN PASTOR IN BERLIN

Berlin, Jan. 3.

The Tibetan Protestant Pastor, Elijah Tietan Puntog, a nobleman who wanted to become a Buddhist monk and instead turned Christian, will preach the sermon in a 500th anniversary service of the Moravian Brothers in Berlin on Sunday.

As a young man, Pastor Puntog, descendant of the ancient kings of Ladakh, in Tibet, was forbidden by his family to enter Buddhist orders so that he could inherit his father's enormous herds of yak and sheep. With the intention of attacking Christianity, but instead became converted in 1928 and married the daughter of Pastor Josef Gersch, translator of the Bible into Tibetan. He entered the Order of the Moravian Brothers in 1930 and was ordained in 1932.—China Mail Special.

TRADE and COMMERCE SECTION

SHARES RISE OVER HOLIDAYS

HONGKONG BANKS
MAKE

GOOD RECOVERY

By A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

SHARE prices showed further improvement over the holiday break and close the week on a steady note.

Buying inquiry has been small but this was to be expected over Christmas and New Year.

The average turnover has been about \$253,000 a day. On a weekly basis this would be \$2,618,000 which is slightly higher than the \$2,435,000 recorded just before Christmas.

The rally on the week is 14 higher, six steady and five lower compared with 16 steady, seven higher and five lower the last time this column appeared. The accompanying panel has been slightly reduced. Underwriters, Union, and Shanghai Banks which have added a total of \$40 and Wheelocks which announced an interim dividend of 37½ cents on the old shares and, consequently, rose 20 cent or so on the news.

Banks' Good Gain

Two of the more prominent shares over the holiday period were Hongkong and Shanghai Banks which have added a total of \$40 and Wheelocks which announced an interim dividend of 37½ cents on the old shares and, consequently, rose 20 cent or so on the news.

Banks had been dull for several weeks prior to the pick-up on the London Stock Exchange following the improved Middle East situation. They still have much ground to make up.

Wheelocks' interim will result in the removal of the quotation on the Stock Exchange list on January 23.

Brokers' spoke to yesterday do not feel that the company's announcement indicates any increase in total dividend.

Previously the company paid out distribution of 75 cents made up of 50 cents dividend and 25 cents bonus. Apparently the two have now been merged and the dividend becomes 75 cents a share. On this assumption the interim payment is half the total. A final dividend is therefore expected.

Cements' Rise

It is pointed out, however, that where the company paid 75 cents last year it will be paying out an extra \$25,000 on the 1,400,000 new shares.

Another share to do well over the holiday period was Green Island Cement. It is up \$1 to \$34.

Hongkong and Far East Investment which sagged to \$9.30 two weeks ago has picked up 30 cents on a buyers' quote.

Blue Chips have passed the holiday quietly and there are no spectacular moves in this section. Trams made the best rise, up 50 cents to \$23.70 on Wednesday. They were inclined to be a little weaker yesterday.

In the wharf section, the three main counters are slightly higher.

Tension Eases

In the "gill" section, Lombards and Unions are weaker. Here is an authoritative Ice House Street account of the week's trading:

"Although trading was still on a fairly tight basis, prices generally have tended to improve steadily following the more cheerful undertone which was in evidence shortly before Christmas, due no doubt, to a general easing of world tension and hopes for a more peaceful outlook for 1957.

"The gradual improvement in HK Banks probably assisted other sections of the market where there have been signs of better inquiry.

"In the Utility group, Electric have been in demand whilst Trams, China Lights and Telephones have made small advances.

"In Industrials, both Cements and Ropes moved fractionally higher.

"In the shipping section, Wheelocks improved slightly following the announcement of an interim dividend of 37½ cents on the old shares."

Interims May Help

Contrary to expectations in last week's annual review, that dullness could be expected perhaps up to Chinese New Year, a broker said yesterday the forthcoming interims may

spark interest in the market and he is looking for a continuation of the present trend with a little more activity.

The Middle East situation appears to be stabilising. The news that Colonel Nasser has threatened the 1954 Suez Canal treaty with Britain does not seem to have caused much alarm. Possibly it was a foregone conclusion.

Much more heartening is the news that America is waking up to the danger in that area. If Congress approves the President's new policy giving Mr. Eisenhower authority to send troops into the area in the event of an emergency, at least Allied unity and public confidence will be restored.

This should help market sentiment in London and New York. It may also assist the present upward trend here to some extent.

Market Diary

Here is a market diary covering the holiday period.

Yesterday: The market ruled steady with Banks, Land, Electric and Cements providing the bulk of turnover. Small gains. T/O: \$985,000.

Wednesday: Prices show further slight improvement under the leadership of Banks. T/O: \$200,000.

Monday: Prices tend to be firmer. T/O: \$740,000.

Friday: Signs of better inquiry lead to slight improvement of business. Underlying steady. T/O: \$620,000.

Thursday: Undernote steady and fractional increases in prices. T/O: \$362,000.

Monday: Prices unchanged. T/O: \$290,000.

Friday: Prices fractionally lower where changed. T/O: \$466,000.

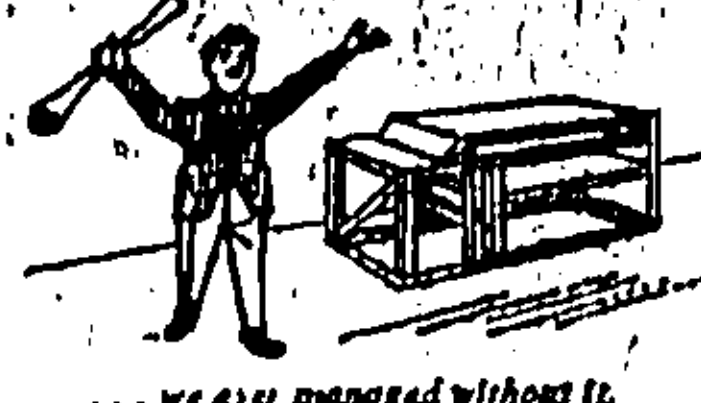
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EXCHANGE

(From Our Correspondent)

Business done on the Hongkong Stock Exchange this morning amounted to approximately 300,000. Noon quotations and the morning's transactions:

| Shares | Buyers | Sellers | Sales |
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JOHN CLARKE'S CASEBOOK

Father Fixed A Deadline

STRICTNESS in the home is a good thing in its way, no doubt, but if it is overdone it may defeat itself. As it seems to have done in Alan's case.

Alan's father was strict. He insisted that his son, who was 17, should be home every night by eight o'clock—and should stay at home after that hour.

There were better reasons than these sometimes are for strictness. Alan's private life had not been without public notoriety. In the Channel Islands, where he had gone to work in a hotel, during the summer, he was discharged by a court on a criminal charge, on condition that he left the islands.

TO LONDON

WITHIN a few days of being back, he was in trouble again, for stealing from a car, and then he asked for several other matters to be taken into consideration.

There was good reason, therefore, for Alan's father taking a firm line, when his son returned to Belfast, to his home.

If the firm line was an obvious one, so was Alan's reaction to it. He quickly left home, crossed again to England, and headed for London. The fact that he had not the whole price of the fare, but had been given a ticket, did not dissuade him. Alan tried to travel from Lancaster to London without a ticket.

KEPT IN TOUCH

At the Clerkenwell court he was charged with travelling without paying a fare, and he pleaded guilty. He was remanded for more inquiries about him to be made.

On Alan's second appearance in the dock, a probation officer told the magistrate, Mr. Frank Powell, what he knew about Alan.

"He has kept in touch with his parents," the probation officer said, "but he still thinks his father was too strict."

But Alan's feelings towards his family seemed not to be too harsh. For when the magistrate asked him: "Where do you propose to live now?" Alan promptly replied: "At home."

SUIT IN PAWN

"WELL, if I had the power—which on this charge I haven't," the magistrate said, "I would send you to Sessions with a recommendation for Borstal. Tell me, if we give you a ticket to Belfast, will you go?"

"Yes," Alan said. "Will you go there today?"

"I can't do that," said Alan, in the voice of one who would like to be happy but could not. "I can't do that, because I've got a suit in pawn at Holloway. I'd have to get that."

"How much did you get for the suit?"

"It was 15s.," said Alan.

TO REPORT

THE magistrate thought for a moment, then he said to Alan: "The probation officer will help you to get your suit out of pawn. I shall remand you on bail of £5, for a week. But I give you permission to go home to Belfast, and the probation officer will give you the ticket."

"If I am informed by the police in Belfast that you have arrived there, that will be the end of this matter. You must report your arrival to the police when you arrive in Belfast, do you understand?"

"I understand," said Alan, in a reflective sort of voice, and he went away and collected his suit, and presently set off for Ulster, to face a private welcome from his father that might be somewhat sterner than his public send-off to his home.

Captured Fishing Boat Escapes

Tokyo, Jan. 3.

A new year's present of two gallons of wine and a merrymaking guard enabled a Japanese fishing boat and its 17 crewmen to escape from detention in Pusan, South Korea, early on New Year morning.

Skipper Adama Omre, of the 71-ton fishing boat Chidori Maru No. 1, said his boat was seized by a South Korean patrol boat on December 20 about 110 miles south of the Korean restricted "Rhee Line" waters. The captured Japanese boat was tied up between two South Korean patrol boats at a pier in Pusan.

On New Year's Eve a Korean guard brought a cask of rice wine aboard and joined in a drinking bout with the ship's crew. After the guard staggered off the ship early on New Year's morning a crew member untied the mooring rope and the ship drifted out to sea.

The Japanese skipper said he started the engine when his boat was 80 meters from the pier and left at full speed.—Reuter.

Railway Is Denationalised

Quito, Ecuador, Jan. 3.

The conservative government of President Canale Ponce issued a decree today turning over the national railways to a private company.

The preamble of the decree said government operation of the railways had resulted in losses during many years. It added that the time had come to place the 602-mile lines on a paying basis and to modernise them.

The decree emphasized that the railways furnish the chief means of transportation between Guayaquil, Ecuador's chief seaport, and Quito, the capital, up in the Andes mountains.

Although the government will be a stockholder in the new company, the latter will otherwise operate as any other private enterprise, under Ecuador's commercial laws.

Government sources said one purpose of placing the railways under private administration is to attract the foreign capital needed to modernise and re-equip them.

Of the nine railway lines in Ecuador, the chief one runs between Duran, opposite Guayaquil, to Quito, a distance of 288 miles.—United Press.

Radio Hongkong

H.K.T. Children's Programme — "Looking at Things," 5.55, Stock Market Report, 6.10, Time Signal, 6.15, News Summary, 6.22, Popularity Poll presented by Ted Thomas, 6.30, (Hilbilia in Variety, 6.38, Weather Report, 7.10, News, 7.15, Commentary or Stop Press Items, 7.18, Opera and Ballet (BBCIS)—Excerpts from the ballet repertoire of the Royal Opera House Covent Garden, introduced by Madame Marie Lambert, 7.45, Going to the Pictures—The Critics discuss the pictures they have seen this week. Chairman, Timothy Birch, 8. Frank Chacksfield and his Orchestra, 8.30, "Alexander the Great," Music, Nacimbene, 8.35, Signal, The News and Home News from Britain, 9.15, Music Lovers' Hour—Classical records presented by Allen Dekker, 10.15, David Carroll and his Dance Orchestra, 10.30, Asian City, 10.35, Western Report, 11. Time Signal, Radio News Reel, 11.15, Goodnight Music, 11.30, Close Down.

REDIFFUSION

2 p.m., Variety Calis the Tune, 2.15, Musical Matinee, 3.30, Strike Up the Band, 4.15, Romance, 4.30, World, Mary Ann Clark, 4.45, Tea for Two, 4.50, Musical A.B.C., 5. Children's Corner, presented by Annie Pamela, 5.15, Friday Requiem—conducted by Betty, 5.25, Birthday Matinee, 5.30, The Tops in Popular Music, 5.45, The House of Peter McClellan, 7. Time Signal and the News, 7.05, Weather report, announcements and interlude, 7.15, Benny Goodman Show, 7.30, Eddie Fisher with Axel Stordahl's Orchestra, 7.45, Track Talk—Type for Tomorrow's races, 8. Personally Paraded—Max Bygraves, 8.15, Mosta Time, 8.30, Passing the Buck—conducted by Paul Drew, 8.45, News and Home News from Britain, 9.15, Symphony Hall — "Donna Elza," Overture (Rachmaninoff), (playback), 9.30, The Royal Albert Hall, 9.45, The House of Peter McClellan, 10.15, David Carroll and his Dance Orchestra, 10.30, Asian City, 10.35, Western Report, 11. Time Signal, Radio News Reel, 11.15, Goodnight Music, 11.30, Close Down.

SIDE GLANCES By Gallbraith



"Slip into your old clothes, dear, and I'll give you my free course in physical culture!"

Home Tragedies: 31 Killed

Chicago, Jan. 3.

Home tragedies, including a rash of fires and deadly carbon monoxide fumes, killed 31 persons across the US today.

A United Press survey showed 23 persons, 17 of them children, died in blazes which broke out without warning, mostly in isolated rural homes. Carbon monoxide fumes killed a couple and a child and the deaths of a father and four children were tentatively blamed on carbon monoxide for a 24-hour death total of 31 persons, 22 of them children.

At Troy, New York, Joseph Lashway, 42, his three sons, and a daughter died after they were found unconscious in their home. The authorities said carbon monoxide could have been responsible for the deaths.

Fire killed three-year-old Herbert Lee Julian Jr. and his three-month-old brother Jocelyn in their family's four-room Birmingham, Alabama, apartment. Police said apparently they started the blaze by playing with paper near a stove.

Two of the fires claimed six lives each at Jeffersonville, Georgia, and Temple, Pennsylvania. Other home fires killed five members of a family in Marshall, Missouri, a father and daughter in Dubuque, Iowa, and a 16-month-old girl near Columbia, Tennessee.

In Michigan's Monroe County, an 18-month-old girl burned to death and her mother and sister were severely burned when flames tore through their home. In another home tragedy, carbon monoxide fumes from an invented gas heater killed a mother, father and eight-year-old daughter in Columbus, Ohio.—United Press.

Flogging Incident: 6 Men Held

Columbia, Carolina, Jan. 3.

State and County police today announced the arrest of six men in connection with the beating of a Camden bandmaster Guy Hutchins, and said "several of the men" had signed confessions.

Hutchins, 52, was brutally flogged by four hooded men last Thursday night when he had a flat tyre while returning to Camden after playing a television date with the Charlotte Symphony Orchestra (North Carolina).

The State Law Enforcement Division chief, J. P. Strom, the Camden City Police chief, Wilbert Williams, and the Kershaw County Rural Police chief, J. H. McLeod, announced the arrests at a news conference in the office of the Governor, George Bell Timmerman Jr.

KU KLUX KLAN

Mr Strom said "at least one" of the six admitted he was a member of the Ku Klux Klan. Klan officials have denied the KKK was involved in the flogging.

Hutchins said his attackers told him they were punishing him because he made a speech favouring racial integration to a Camden Lion's Club Women's Auxiliary. He denied ever making such a speech.

The six suspects were identified as Neal Seegars, 62, a retired lumberman, Horace Frith, 59, a textile worker, George Elgerton, 48, an employee at the Dupont, May Plant, Stone Broadway, 33, Dupont employee, John McManus, 32, a mechanic, and Homer Fields, 56, a carpenter.

The six were being held in the Kershaw County Jail. Mr Strom said Seegars and Frith did not take part in the actual flogging and they were charged with "conspiracy to go in disguise on the public highway."

The other four were charged with assault and battery of a high and aggravated nature.—United Press.

Exequaturs Signed

The Queen's Exequaturs empowering Mr Gustavo Adolfo Amadeo to act as Consul for the Republic of Argentina, and Mr Bo Hyung Lee to act as Vice-Consul for the Republic of Korea at Hongkong have received Her Majesty's signature, the Gazette announced this morning.

Special Film Show

A full length coloured Disney cartoon "Pinocchio" was this morning shown at the Alhambra Theatre, Kowloon.

This special show was in aid of the Girl Guides Centenary Camp Fund.

More than 500 children and their parents attended.

HONORARY ADC

Pilot Officer Ramon Kar Yuet-wang, Hongkong Auxiliary Air Force, has been appointed an Honorary Aide-de-Camp, vice Flight-Lieut F. M. Rozario, RCAF.

Sergeants Ernest Henry Rawlings and Francisco Maria Botelho of the Hongkong Auxiliary Air Force, have been promoted to Acting Pilot Officers.

SUMMER TIME

Summer time will begin at 2.30 a.m. Sunday, March 24 and will end at 2.30 a.m. Sunday, November 3. The Gazette announced this morning.

TWO APPEALS DISMISSED

An appeal for the reduction of sentence brought by Li Kam-yuen, alias Li Ying-hung, was dismissed by Mr Justice A. D. Scholes in the Appeals Court this morning.

Li was sentenced to 10 months' hard labour by Mr T. L. Yang at Kowloon Magistracy for being a member of the 14K Triad society and was also ordered to be placed under Police supervision for two years after serving his sentence.

Making the appeal, Li told His Lordship that he had no money to support and that he wished to be given a chance to "turn over a new leaf."

Mr W. S. Collier, Crown Counsel, objecting the appeal, informed the Court that the appellant belonged to one of the societies which had something to do with the recent disturbances. This society was anything but law-abiding, said Mr Collier.

Mr Justice Scholes also dismissed an appeal brought by Chan Pui for the reduction of sentence.

Chan was sentenced to four months' hard labour by Mr T. L. Yang at Kowloon Magistracy when he pleaded guilty to failing to report to Police when he was under Police supervision.

WOULD LOSE JOB

Chan explained to the Court that he did not want his employer to know that he had a criminal record and was also under Police supervision. He said that if he reported to the Police they would make inquiries about him at the firm once a week. "Once my employer knows that I am under Police supervision and have a criminal record he would dismiss me," said Chan.

Dismissing the appeal His Lordship said the appellant had a very bad record that included one for larceny from the person, one for larceny, one for house-breaking, one for attempted larceny and one for shop-breaking.

1957 General Holidays

The Gazette published this morning the following General and School Holidays which will be observed during 1957:

General Holidays: Every Sunday.

Chinese New Year's Day Thursday, January 31.

The first week-day following Chinese New Year's Day Friday, February 1.

The Birthday of Her Majesty the Queen Friday, April 12.

Good Friday Friday, April 19.

The day following Good Friday Saturday, April 20.

Easter Monday Monday, April 22.

Whit Monday Monday, June 10.

The first week-day in July Monday, July 1.

The first Monday in August Monday, August 5.

The 30th day of August Friday, August 30.

The day following Chinese Mid-Autumn Festival Day Monday, September 9.

The third Monday in October Monday, October 21.

The day following Remembrance Sunday Monday, November 11.

Christmas Day Wednesday, December 25.

The 26th day of December Thursday, December 26.

School Holiday: Empire Day Friday, May 24.

\$1,000 Fine For Possessing Heroin

For possessing 80 packets (5 grammes) of heroin without a permit from the Director of Medical and Health Services, Lam Chiu-wan, 28, was fined \$1,000 or 16 weeks' imprisonment by Mr F. X. d'Almada at Central Magistracy this morning.

Defendant was arrested on January 2 by a Police party acting on information, at 8 Dorset Hill, ground floor. The heroin was found wrapped in oil skin hidden under bricks in the stove of the kitchen.

Another man, Ng Kwan-yuk, 36, of 215 Quee Road, Extra second floor, was fined \$500 or two months by the same magistrate for possessing heroin.

He was cautioned on a second charge of possessing opium pipes, and for breach of a \$500 bond he was fined \$500 or two months.

WOUNDING CHARGE

A 23-year-old bus conductor, Wong Shui-keung, of 229 Hennessy Road, second floor, was remanded three days in Police custody when he appeared before Mr W. N. Thomas Tam at Central Magistracy this morning on a charge of wounding with intent to cause grievous bodily harm.

Defendant was alleged to have unlawfully and maliciously wounded Chai Kai-lam aboard a bus on December 12.

Wong, who was represented by Mr Peter Mo of Peter Mo and Co., was allowed bail of \$4,000, \$1,000 cash and \$2,500 surety.

Mr Justice Williams Knighted

The New Year's Honours List included the Chief Justice of Sarawak, Brunel and North Borneo, Mr Justice E. H. Williams, who becomes a Knight Bachelor. (He was formerly Police Judge in Hongkong.)

Gazetted Government Appointments

The following appointments, transfers, promotions and postings have been approved, the Government Gazette announced this morning:

Mr Eric James Thompson, to be Accountant General and concurrently Custodian of Property and Custodian of Enemy Property on transfer from Tanganyika.

Mr J. A. C. Huribatt, Senior Executive Officer, Class I, ceased to act as Accountant General and concurrently Custodian of Property and Custodian of Enemy Property, and assumed duty as Acting Deputy Accountant General, on assumption of duty by Mr Thompson and vice Mr Anslow.

Mr F. J. Anslow, Senior Executive Officer, Class I, ceased to act as Deputy Accountant General and assumed duty as Principal Accountant (Inspections), vice Mr Crabb.

Mr F. Crabb, Senior Executive Officer, Class II, ceased to act as Principal Accountant (Inspections) and assumed duty as Senior Accountant (Headquarters), vice Mr Dark.

Mr S. G. Dark, Executive Officer, Class I, ceased to act as Senior Accountant (Headquarters) on assumption of duty by Mr Crabb.

SENIOR SPECIALIST

Dr H. S. Rasmussen to be Acting Senior Specialist Surgeon, the absence of Dr Ho Hung-chiu.

Mr C. Cairns, Senior Marine Officer, to be Acting Assistant Director of Marine (Port Control), vice Mr A. G. Parker.

Mr W. D. Leighton, Marine Officer, to be Acting Senior Marine Officer, vice Mr Cairns.

Mr A. G. Bailey, Executive Officer, Class I, ceased to act as First Clerk, Colonial Secretariat, Mr K. R. Macfee, Magistrate, to be Acting District Judge, vice Mr J. Reynolds; Mr R. H. Mills-Owens, Magistrate, to be temporary additional District Judge.

Mr A. G. Parker, Acting Director of Marine, to be Chairman of the Port Executive Committee, vice Mr J. Jolly.

Police Seek Witnesses

The Police are anxious to trace the whereabouts of two Chinese who went to the assistance of a wounded Chinese woman in Babington Path, near Littleton Road at about 6.30 p.m. on New Year's Day.

These two witnesses are requested to contact any Police Station or the Divisional Detective Inspector, Central Police Station, whose telephone number is 34522, Extension 328.

Fatal Bicycle Accident

A cyclist carrying a pillion passenger lost control of his machine yesterday whilst riding along a path between Chatham Road and Chi Man Road, in Kowloon.

Both persons fell down a steep embankment on to the railway tracks.

The pillion passenger, 60-year-old Chan Ngan-sui, residing at No. 59, Section 8, Man Wah Village, received serious injuries and died shortly after admission to Kowloon Hospital.

The cyclist sustained minor injuries.

Here is a GOOD MESSAGE to OUR DEAR PATRONS of the past year—

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